

Roosevelt Will Rest In South

Leaves Washington Today for Two Weeks; Destination Not Made Public

WASHINGTON, April 10—(AP)—President Roosevelt has gone south for a vacation and rest which will last about two weeks.

The trip was announced today by the White House. The time of the president's departure from Washington and the place where he has gone were not disclosed.

The White House statement said: "The president has left Washington for the south and will be away approximately two weeks unless some unexpected emergency arises which would compel him to return at an earlier date."

"The president was accompanied by Admiral William D. Leahy, his personal chief of staff; Vice Admiral Ross T. McIntire, surgeon general of the navy and the physician to the president; Rear Admiral Wilson Brown, naval aide and Major General Edwin M. Watson, military aide and secretary.

Relaxation Only

"Except for the work that is always carried on between the White House and the president regardless of his whereabouts or the distance he may be from Washington, he will devote himself exclusively to relaxation out-of-doors, in fresh air and sunshine.

"Correspondents for the Associated Press, the United Press associations and the International News Service regularly assigned to cover the president also have left Washington. For reasons of security, however, the news reports of these correspondents will not be published until the president has returned to Washington."

The statement was given out by Stephen Early, White House secretary. Early was asked whether the last paragraph meant that the reporters have gone with the president or to the same place the president has gone. He replied that the statement speaks for itself. The president has been urged for several weeks by his physician, Admiral McIntire, to get away from his office and to concentrate on recovering from the lingering effects of a cold and bronchitis.

Wife of Pilot Joins WAVES

Mrs. Loretta Jean Baldwin, a granddaughter of Mrs. Warren Poindeexter, of 802 West Sixteenth street, has enlisted in the WAVES, and is in training at the United States Naval Training School, Women's Reserve, Bronx, N. Y. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sutton, of Fullerton, Calif.

Mrs. Baldwin's husband, Manning Baldwin, is a naval pilot, in the South Pacific. The couple were married last September, and he was sent overseas in October.

Mrs. Baldwin, at the completion of her training in New York will be assigned to active duty on the west coast.

Spring Weather Affects Convicts

JEFFERSON CITY, April 10—(P)—Two convicts slipped away from a state prison farm near here last night. Prison officials identified them as Howard Dull, 29, serving a 5-year sentence from Linn county for burglary and Richard Fults, 19, serving three years from Vernon county for larceny.

The highway patrol reported two Negro youths escaped from the state training school for boys at Boonville—Eugene Hoff, 19, from Cooper county, and Ernest Jolley, 15, from Kansas City.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Donna Chambers, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Chambers 1412 South Park avenue, admitted for surgery.

Mrs. Pete Drenas, 1430 South Sneed avenue; Mrs. Maude Burlingame, 1001 East Seventh street; Mrs. E. T. Wilson, 411 South New York avenue; Mrs. Glenn Martin, Smithton; Mrs. Ray T. Clark and infant daughter, 1202 East Eleventh street and Mrs. Rufus Eickhoff, Lincoln, dismissed.

George Knaus, 1008 East Seventh street, dismissed.

Sunday Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Garrett of Route 2 had as dinner guests Easter Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Garrett and daughters, Rae Carolyn of Salina, Kas., and Dorothy of Sedalia, Mrs. Henry Greshen and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Garrett, all of Sedalia.

Sedaliens in Hawaii



Sedalia, as always, was well represented at Missouri Day in Hawaii March 26 and six of the boys had their pictures taken together and sent them to the folks back home. The young men in the picture are: Left to right, front row, Nick Earl Hug, U. S. army, son of Mrs. Maurine Steelman, 604 South Lamine avenue, and Oscar Hug; Norbert Williams, U. S. navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams, 702 Wilkerson street; Harold Elwood McMackin, U. S. army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ott McMackin, 1304 West Main street. Back row, Gene Owens, U. S. army, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Owens, 1920 East Twelfth street; Robert J. Davidson, U. S. Navy, son of Mrs. Eva Davidson, 418 North Stewart avenue and William Wear, U. S. marines, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wear, 810 West Broadway. The Wear boy and the Owens boy are cousins.

Stable Europe Objective of Allied Policy

Encouragement of Such is Important Secretary Hull States

WASHINGTON, April 10—(P)—Here is the United States view on international problems as expressed Sunday by Secretary of State Hull:

European Governments — "It is important to our national interest to encourage the establishment in Europe of strong and progressive popular governments, dedicated like our own to improving the social welfare of the people as a whole—a stable Europe should be an immediate objective of Allied policy."

France — "We (the president and I) are disposed to see the French Committee of National Liberation exercise leaders to establish law and order under the supervision of the Allied commander-in-chief. . . . The committee is, of course, not the French government and we can not recognize it as such. . . . The French people (should) choose the ultimate form and personnel of the government which they wish to establish."

Italy — "There is promise of success in introducing more democratic elements until the Italian government by agreement among Italian liberal groups.

Ask Cooperation — "We can not longer acquiesce in these nations' drawing upon the resources of the Allied world when they are the same time contributing to the death of troops whose sacrifice contributes to their salvation as well as ours. . . . We ask them only, but with insistence, to cease aiding our enemy."

Atlantic Charter — "It is not a code of law from which detailed answers to every question can be distilled. . . . It points the direction in which solutions are to be sought; it does not give solutions."

Boundaries — "The more than thirty European boundary questions cannot be not be settled while the fighting progresses but 'This does not mean that certain questions may not and should not in the meantime be settled by friendly conference and agreement."

World Peace — "The form and substance of an international organization to maintain peace 'are in different stages of development.' After discussion with the congressional leaders 'we shall be in a position to go forward again with other nations. . . . and submit to the democratic processes of discussion a more concrete proposal."

Must Destroy Nazis — "We are working with our Allies now (to) destroy these systems to their very foundation. . . . Free governments and Nazi and Fascist governments can not exist together in this world."

Germany — "The European advisory commission in London is now at work on the treatment of Germany. 'Out of these discussions all come back to the governments for their consideration proposals for concrete action."

Tuesday Missouri Pacific Payday — Tuesday will be pay day for all Missouri Pacific employees in Sedalia.

Heaviest Rainfall In Years

Total of 3.45 Inches Rain Reported at 2 p. m. for day; Water Races Down Streets

At 3:15 o'clock this afternoon the water was so high on Main street between Harrison and Grand avenues, it was pouring over parked cars covering the hoods, and reaching to within about 8 inches of the tops of some.

A series of downpours of near-cloudburst intensity since early this morning netted rainfall of 3.45 inches here by shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon, with rain still coming down, and many low areas in Sedalia were under water, water racing in the streets measuring from several inches to about five feet in the lowest spots.

The rainfall for the day was the greatest in five years, falling short of a record drenching of 3.88 inches on April 15, 1939. Other close figures of heavy rain here are recorded for September 19, 1942, 3.08 inches and October 4, 1941, 3 inches.

The average rainfall in Sedalia for the month of April in a 25-year period is 3.73, so with the 3.45 inches of rain on Sunday added to today's precipitation by early afternoon, making a total of 3.78 inches, this vicinity has had all the moisture due it for the month.

The rainfall measurements were recorded by the official government instruments at the State Fair Floral company on south highway 65.

Rain subsided to a steady dripping at 3 o'clock this afternoon and the skies, which had been black through the morning, began to clear, but only for a short time.

Several Negroes Stranded

Several Negroes were stranded in their homes in the bottoms around the branch on North Osage and Ham streets, and a call for help was sent to the fire companies, at 1:45 o'clock.

Firemen answered the alarm but were unable to go through the high water at Osage avenue and Ham street, with the East Sedalia truck becoming stranded in the water.

The West Sedalia truck succeeded in getting out and returned to the West Sedalia fire house. Firemen directed by Chief John G. Lueck were seeking boats to try and get the stranded people out of their homes where water was said to already have entered their houses.

Halt Underpass Traffic

By 2 o'clock this afternoon traffic was halted at the underpass on East Broadway, three and a half blocks east of Ohio avenue. The water was so high there that neither passenger nor commercial vehicles could get through any longer. One car already was stalled, the driver having to crawl into the back seat and the auto had to be pulled out.

With the overflow of the drainage ditch on Brown avenue to Thirteenth street, that vicinity was flooded, with the area from Broadway to Twelfth street under water, as are lots east to Summit avenue and spreading on down to Fourteenth street.

Engineer avenue was under water from Thirteenth to Sixteenth streets and by early afternoon city buses were making detours.

The branch on North Osage is out of its banks flooding the streets and yards north of the C. C. Hubbard school.

Worst in Thirty Years

Deep water swirled from Broadway and Hancock to Tenth street and C. W. Carver, 711 East Ninth street, said the flooded condition is the worst he has seen here in his 30 years residency.

Lightning Strikes Tree

A peculiar, but fortunate, lightning strike occurred about 7:30 o'clock this morning, when a bolt passed between two houses on Tenth street and struck a tree. No one was injured and the houses were not damaged. The houses, the residences of A. C. Hecklaible, 1005 East Tenth street and Everett Mathis, 1009 East Tenth street, are about 20 feet apart with a garage at the rear.

The garage was not hit, but the lightning split the tree, about a 75-year-old cottonwood, in the front yard, driving through the heart of the tree and scattering splinters on the front porches of the two houses.

Ohio avenue had a small lake at the alley between Second and Third streets for more than an hour when water poured down the alley from Lamine avenue and down Ohio from both the north and the south.

The storm sewer soon emptied the street although the water.

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Hog Roots, Digs on Courthouse Lawn

A 200 pound hog which had evidently strayed away from someone's hog lot, wandered around in the 400 block on East Seventh street this morning. Police received three calls on the wandering "pork," and about an hour later, it was on the court house lawn, having a great time rooting among the flowers and green grass.

After doing considerable damage in the flower beds and the lawn, C. H. Shoemaker, 503 East Third street, whose truck was nearby roped the hog, after a little chase, and put him in his truck. He took it to his home and penned him up to await the arrival of the owner.

Hundreds of Children Take Part in Hunt

Easter Eggs Hidden In Three Sedalia Parks Provide Fun

The Easter egg hunt, sponsored by the USO Sunday afternoon at three Sedalia parks was a colorful affair, with hundreds of children of the community in their bright new Easter clothes and little Easter baskets, running through the parks looking for the hidden eggs.

Numbers were placed on the eggs which were hidden in Liberty park, Washington park and Hubbard park, looking for the hidden eggs. Numbers were placed on the eggs which were hidden in Liberty park, Washington park and Hubbard park, looking for the hidden eggs.

Winners at Liberty park were: First prize, Gayle Rowlette of Broadway school and Gerry Lee Branstetter of Mark Twain; second prize, Cleda Mae Chapin and James Schneek, both of Mark Twain school; third prize, Mary Lou Mitchell of Horace Mann school and a tie between Benny Robinson of Mark Twain and Russell Lee Baldwin of Washington school.

Winner of first award in the older child's group were: Henrietta Simon and Philip Burford; second Ann Boist and Denzil Harris, and third prizes, Bettie Su Martin and Donnell Garrett.

First prize in the pre-school children's class went to Tula Van Dyne, second to Barney Bertman, third, a tie to Rudd Daniel Van Dyne, Earlene Mae Curtis, and Jimmy Dawson and fourth a tie to Kenneth Williams, Stanley Jones and Bobby Lee Spraggins.

Washington winners were: First, Evelyn Potter and James Schleicher; second, Barbara Wolf and Grover Van Hook and third, Earlene Hart and James DeMoss.

Awards in the Washington pre-school group went to Lewis Dickman, Dickie Shumaker, Dorsey Mathews, Jerry Mathews, Elaine Gwinn and Ike Martin.

Hubbard Park winners were: Norma Cochran and Walter Cochran, first; Estelle Williams and Claude Heindon, second; and Barbara Payton and Orlando Caldwell, third.

The eggs were given by the Pettis county extension clubs with Miss Dorothy Bacon in charge. They were colored by the GSO girls, Army-Navy Wives and the soldier personnel and the hunt was conducted by the USO, assisted by the American Legion and the War Dads.

Col. Wikoff Club Speaker

Col. Lester B. Wikoff, of Wentworth Military Academy, Lexington, Mo., and former district governor of Rotary, represented the district governor, Uel E. Lampkin of Maryville, Mo., at the Rotary luncheon meeting at the Bothwell hotel today noon.

Col. Wikoff addressed the group on "Rotary Education." He spoke on Rotary International and its part in the world peace. Rotary functions in eighty different countries today, with 5,200 clubs composed of 210,000 members. He spoke briefly of club service, community service and international service, and told more thoroughly of vocational service explaining the high ethics in business.

Visitors at today's meeting were: H. S. Naugel guest of R. L. Van Hoesen, Wilmer Capps guest of the club, John H. Adams guest of Oscar DeWolf; Pvt. Robert L. Riley and Capt. David H. Robinson guests of Dr. L. S. Geiger, and Lieut. Jack Funk, member of Rotary and now in service as instructor in the air corps.

The meeting was presided over by the president, Frank W. Bryant with J. U. Morris as program chairman.

Next Monday Rotary will hold a rural acquaintance meeting at the Methodist church in Smithton, starting at 7:30 p. m.

Russians Regain Odessa Taken By Nazis Over Two Years Ago; Imphail Plain Is Under Siege

Japanese in Contact With Allied Forces On Tiddim Road and Suffer Casualties

By Charles A. Grumich

NEW DELHI, April 10.—(AP)—The Japanese besiegers of the plain of Imphail have sent small parties west of Bishenpur, 18½ miles southwest of Imphail on the Tiddim road, where they have been in contact with Allied forces and suffered casualties, the southeast Asia command announced today.

This was the first time that Japanese had been reported west of the Tiddim-Imphail road. (It indicated a Japanese effort to sweep around the Imphail defenses from the southwest).

British forces stoutly defending Kohima, northern Imphail plain strong point, have wiped out Japanese groups which penetrated the town's tight ring of defenses, killing at least 50 and taking others prisoners, the communique said.

Undeterred by losses, the Japanese invaders continued their pressure in the whole Kohima area. Along the road from Tiddim to the south of Imphail the Japanese increased their pressure and were in contact with Allied defenders.

Fighting also was reported in the foothills north of the plain where further losses were inflicted on the enemy.

Key Defense Point

Kohima is a key defense point 35 miles southeast of the Bengal-Assam railroad which supplies American and Chinese forces fighting in north Burma under Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell. It is 30 miles inside India and 60 miles north of Imphail, the Allies' major base in northeast India. Fifteen miles of the Kohima-Imphail road has been blocked by Japanese infiltration parties.

Fighting also broke out on the Arakan front to the south where the Japanese made local unsuccessful counter-attacks on both sides of the Mayu range which cost them considerable casualties. The communique said west African troops inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy in a clash east of Kaladan village.

Forces of the Chinese 22nd division pressing down the Mogaung valley maintained their contact with the Japanese, while in the other drive on Myitkyina, principal Japanese base in north Burma, Allied troops still were fighting the Japanese near the Tiang river on the Sumphrabum-Myitkyina road.

Throughout the entire Burma area Allied aviation continued to attack Japanese positions and communications.

Missing Car Found

The Marquette sedan of John Hill, 916 West Third street, stolen sometime after 10 o'clock Saturday night, was found this morning abandoned on North Lamine avenue, just north of Cooper street. The car was taken to police headquarters.

Report Pocketbook Taken

Someone entered the apartment of Lt. D. J. Sundheim, 610 West Sixth street, sometime between 2 and 2:30 o'clock Sunday morning and took two ladies' pocketbooks. Both pocketbooks contained identification papers, rationing books and a small amount of money.

Entrance to the apartment was gained by taking a screen off a window. A report was made to the police.

Return Kit Bags And Housewives

The Pettis county chapter of the American Red Cross is making a last appeal for the kit bags and housewives which are still in the homes. If they are not completed, return them uncompleted.

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Canary Birds Add Springtime Effect At Easter Services

Canary birds, loaned by members of the congregation of the First Christian church, created a springtime effect to Easter services there Sunday morning, providing a natural obligato to the organ and choir music.

The rostrum, alight with white candles, was decorated with greenery and lilies.

Easter Was Celebrated On All Fronts

By the Associated Press

Easter was celebrated yesterday on all those fronts manned by American doughboys. It was celebrated in mud and muck and in some spots even in blood, but so sincere was the spirit of the men that in one instance Germans on a front line sector in Italy were invited to join the service.

It was an Easter without the trimmings, held in rain and mud in some sectors, under a canopy of whistling shells in others. Fashions prevalent were the steel helmets of war, with guns in readiness and foxholes and other shelters of safety within short distance.

Perhaps the Easter services most reminding of home to the GI Joes and Janes across the seas were the ones held in London's Hyde Park, where American soldiers, sailors and WACS attended a sunrise service.

At Garigliano, on the Italian front, Allied and German troops less than 400 yards apart joined in an Easter program. Services were broadcast to the Germans, who held their fire as the sermon was read in English and German.

Easter at Anzio

Easter came to the Anzio beach-head, too, although both Allied and German batteries fired as usual and some services were held in tune with a flow of heavy shells whistling overhead.

Communion wine and wafers and prayer books were dropped to Chindits and American air commandos far behind enemy lines in the jungles of Burma, and American soldiers in Palestine walked to Golgotha and the Holy Sepulchre.

At Guadalcanal, near the mouth of the Tenaru river where American marines first landed to begin the rolling southwest Pacific land offensive, soldiers stood in mud and bowed their heads in prayer during sunrise services. Scattered among them were natives in loin cloths.

The Tokyo radio reported Easter services had been held for Americans at the San Tomas internment camp at Manila.

Australia Wants to Reduce its Army

WASHINGTON, April 10—(P)—Australia has announced a need for reducing its army in order to balance its manpower and the announcement has not been well received in Congress here.

Said Senator Johnson (D-Colo.): "That's a startling statement in view of the all-out effort we are making to send our army all over the world to save Australia and the other countries from the common enemy."

Police Court Fines

F. L. Dickey, Hughesville, failed to appear in police court this morning and his five dollar cash bond was ordered forfeited. He was charged with being intoxicated.

William Whitehead, who gave his home as Warrensburg, pleaded guilty to Magistrate C. W. Bente in police court on a charge of being drunk and was fined \$5. Unable to pay the fine he was committed to the city jail for five days.

Casualties in U.S. Hospital

CLEVELAND, April 10—(P)—I was wounded in the thigh by

First Sgt. Paul B. Brown of Mason City, Ia., one of the group of more than 200 casualties who arrived last night at the Mary's New Crile General hospital in suburban Parma Heights, says "It's so good to be back I'm almost glad I got hit."

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Germans Declare They Evacuated After Destruction Of War Equipment

By James M. Long

LONDON, April 10.—(AP)—Odessa, the greatest port on the Black sea and first major prize of Hitler's invasion of Russia, has fallen to the striding Red army rapidly planting its banners along the Russian state frontiers. Berlin announced today.

Evacuation of the port and naval base was acknowledged by the German command, which also declared the Russians were striking out in an apparent full-blown offensive to clear the Crimea. The communique broadcast from Berlin said heavy fighting was in progress on a broad front from the Sivash to the Perekop sectors on the north side of the Crimea isthmus and the Russians were penetrating the garrison lines.

Cut off from all but sea communications, in the same way that the Odessa force was almost isolated, it seemed that the Germans and Rumanians in the Crimea might be forced to yield the last of the strong Black sea outposts guarding the Rumanian sea flank.

The evacuation of Odessa—carried out, the Germans said, after long-planned destruction of military installations—was a sensational step in the Germans' last-mile march out of southern Russia.

20 Miles Inside Border — Odessa, only a little more than 20 miles inside the 1939 Russian border, was captured by the Germans two and a half years ago after a two-months' defense by besieged Russian soldiers, workers and marines who made their stand amidst the rubble and lagoons. The pre-war population of Odessa was 600,000.

It was the first of the dramatic sieges of Russian cities—Sevastopol, Leningrad and Stalingrad—that have marked the war.

It had been expected that the Germans would make a similar death stand there in the current retreat.

But the swift Russian advance struck down southwest of the city almost slicing it off, and the Germans—by their own account—had no stomach for such a siege as the Russians endured.

Moscow declared that one Red army column had smashed to a railway station three miles north of Odessa yesterday and that another, sweeping 11 miles southwest of the port, had seized Martenthal, only five miles from the Odessa-Ovidiopol railway, the only retreat road for the thousands of Nazis and Rumanians defending the city.

Sam Silverman Is Commended

Pvt. Sam Silverman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Silverman, 524 East Third street, who is on duty in Sicily, has been commended according to a letter from his commanding officer, Major Ralph J. Buckley of the Military Police.

Pvt. Silverman, with another soldier, was commended for his fine work, alertness, and devotion to duty shown by locating fifty-five barrels, each containing fifty-five gallons of one hundred octane gasoline, as well as the confiscation of an Italian truck carrying two additional fifty-five gallon drums.

Major Buckley stated that such action shows the initiative upon the part of the individual and reflects credit, not only upon him, but upon the Military Police branch of service in which he serves. He is with a Military Police prisoner of war detachment.

The Weather

MISSOURI: Moderate to locally heavy showers and thunderstorms today; cooler in west and north portions; showers and thunderstorms with little change in temperature tonight and Tuesday. Minimum temperatures to night 50 northwest to 65 southeast.

Central Missouri: Light to moderate rain and a little cooler tonight. Showers and mild Tuesday.

Lake of the Ozarks: 3.9. No change.

Sun rise 6:44 a. m. Sun set, 7:45 p. m.

Last quarter moon April 15, new moon April 22. Temperature: 7 a. m. 54 degrees; 3 p. m. 48 degrees.

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THE DAILY WASHINGTON
merry-go-round
by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, April 10—One factor which has worried the president about the Italian stalemate is the Italian political situation. Also, it has not alleviated his irritation with both Churchill and Stalin for helping to continue the Badoglio regime.

Most people don't realize it, but Italian civilians are simply not aiding the Allies. This is in contrast to the earlier days of the Italian invasion, when civilians penetrated the German lines and were an extremely important factor in the Allied advance.

In fact, some experts believe that Naples might have held out a month longer than it did if Italian youths had not slipped over to the American lines at night to get ammunition and then returned to sabotage and harass the Nazis from the rear. They came literally begging for hand grenades to throw at the Nazis.

Today, this anti-Nazi hostility is over, and we are getting little help from Italian civilians. Furthermore, there is a growing restlessness against the Allies in southern Italy.

This is partly due to the fact that we have kept in power the former trappings of Fascism — namely, King Victor Emmanuel and Marshal Badoglio. It is also due to the bungling methods of AMG (Allied Military Govern-

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(Signal Corps photo from NEA)
Hitler and Tojo probably never will understand those crazy Americans, who outfight Nazi and Nip "supermen" and then turn around and, like the trio above, squat around a jungle bonfire and make themselves a mess of fudge. Fudgemakers, left to right, are: Pvt. Jimmy Simon of Perkins, Calif.; Pfc. L. G. Taber, Indianapolis; and Pfc. C. E. Setzer, Newton, N. C.

ment) and, finally, it is due to the difficult task of importing enough food.

AMG, according to grapevine reports, got off to a bad start when it was placed under Lord Rennell of Rodd, a former J. P. Morgan partner, which firm was once Mussolini's banker and still has around \$60,000,000 outstanding as interest on a loan.

The U. S. army had trained a number of military governors at the University of Virginia, but the president once made the crack that the school was packed with Wall street brokers. (Selection of students for the governors' school has since changed.)

At any rate, even Secretary Hull now says that conditions inside occupied Italy are no worse, as he puts it, than during the German occupation. This is a serious admission and a long way from making the Allies the saviours of democracy and the champions of the four freedoms. So perhaps it is no wonder that Italian support has so completely evaporated.

Note — A survey of other factors causing the stalemate in Italy will follow soon.

Eden's Garden
It didn't leak out, but Colonel John Leval, state department expert on Near East oil, was called secretly before Senator Maloney's oil committee to testify regarding the proposed pipe-line through Arabia. Senators are still talking about some of the things he revealed during the five-hour off-the-record session.

Among other things, Leal warned that Russia was certain to fix her eyes on the Middle East and try to take over certain rich oil sections there. The Tigris and the Euphrates valleys, Col. Leval told the committee, not only are rich in fertility, with tremendous irrigation possibilities, but also have an oil empire of fifty billion barrels — the key to peace or war.

After reminding senators that this territory was certain to be the victim of a tug-of-war between Britain and Russia, Col. Leval added:

"You know this was the Garden of Eden."

To which, Senator Brewster of Maine shot back:

"You mean the Garden of Petroleum Eden?"

Without a moment's hesitation Senator Vandenberg of Michigan flashed:

"No, the Garden of Anthony Eden."

Note—More is going to be heard from the Maloney committee as the Arabian Knights eclipse the Arabian Nights for public attention.

Governor Lehman Falls
The mysterious whereabouts of UNRRA chief Goernor Herbert Lehman has now leaked out. The British censored it for a long time, but Lehman fell down the stairs of the British embassy in Algiers and broke his kneecap.

For two weeks, U. S. officials waited for him in Cairo, did not know what had happened. Lehman had been scheduled to arrive for talks regarding relief in the Balkans. Finally, the mystery was cleared up when word came that a gala reception had been given him by the British in Algiers and that Lehman had fallen down the stairs of the British embassy.

Either because the British didn't want it known that they were giving a party, or out of deference to Governor Lehman's feelings, they blocked transmission of the news. However, since Lehman is a most abstemious man and the fall could not have been related to alcohol, there seems no good reason for withholding publication. Certainly it is not going to help the enemy to know that the ex-governor of New York fell down the stairs of the British embassy.

Train Radio Signals
The Rock Island railroad has now put itself first on the list of roads trying to prevent wrecks by modern radio devices. It has hired a leading electronic engineer to put radio telephones on the Rock Island line.

He is Ernest A. Dahl, formerly of Western Electric, and also in charge of certain instructions for the U. S. signal corps. Under Dahl, the Rock Island plans to develop radio communication between trains, and between the brakeman and the engineer of a

Oh, Fudge!

Just Town Talk

SUNDAY WAS A
RED-LETTER DAY
IN THE Churches
EASTER ALWAYS Means
THAT ALL Who Can
AND ARE Religiously
INCLINED,
MAKE AN Effort
TO GO To Church
ONE SEDALIA Gentleman
A REGULAR Church-goer
WENT EARLY
AND TOOK A Nice Seat
CLOSE TO The Front
PRETTY SOON Some
STRANGERS CAME In
LOOKING For A Seat
AND HE Gallantly
AROSE AND Said

"TAKE THIS One"
AND THEY Did
HE FOUND Another Place
NEAR The Rear
AND SOON Gave That Up
AND SAT On A Chair
AND STILL The Crowd
CAME
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OLD SAYING OF
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AND HE Finally
WOUND UP Sitting
IN THE Vestibule
BUT HE Didn't Mind
HE WAS Just Glad
TO SEE So Many
PEOPLE AT Church
I THANK YOU.

Baltimore, Md., spent a week visiting with her friend, Mrs. Terry Files, and family.

Mrs. and Mrs. Gillman Scott and daughter, Mary Lou, and George Guthrie were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lohman and daughters, Jean, of Warrensburg.

Mrs. Paul Teagarden and Miss Helen McGrath of Warrensburg spent Saturday in Kansas City. Miss McGrath accompanied Mrs. Teagarden home that evening and spent Sunday.

Mrs. Rosie Miller, who has been living in Green Ridge, moved Monday into an apartment in the home of Mrs. Sallie Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Munsey Gregory and daughter, Vivian, entertained as dinner guests Sunday in honor of Margaret's ninth birthday Mrs. M. J. Gaston and son, Dickie, Jean Frances Crawford, Jessie McKeehan and Mrs. Craig Temple.

Mrs. A. W. LaRue, who underwent a major operation at Bothwell hospital recently, was brought to her home here Sunday afternoon, where she is convalescing nicely.

The Nautilus club held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. R. Keller with Mrs. W. E. Walker as leader. After the business meeting conducted by the president, Mrs. Raymond Wasson, Mrs. Walker took charge of the program, introducing Mrs. Cora Elliott, high school teacher, who presented a play, "Don't Tell a Soul," with seven of the pupils taking part, as well as Mrs. Elliott. The group sang "Say a Prayer for the Boys Over Seas" after which Mrs. Paul Teagarden and Mrs. Klientzmann entertained with a group of songs and instrumental music.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Blakley and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hansbrough went to Mount Leonard Sunday, where they visited the family of the latter's son, Albert Van Buskirk.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rittman were surprised on the occasion of their ninth wedding anniversary Friday evening when the following friends went to their home for a social evening: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerken and son, Herbert, and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. William Buchholz and son, Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Clark and children, Lester Martin and Lena May, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Heffelfinger and son, Glenn Roy. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Leonard Reavis returned home Friday evening from Kansas City, where she was called by the critical illness of a cousin, who later died. Mrs. Reavis remained for the funeral services.

Mrs. Carl McMillan and Miss Dorothy Jean Mahin of Sedalia spent Friday night with Miss Virginia Reynolds and attended the senior play at LaMonte high school.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall and son, Kenneth, and daughter, Juanita, of Smithton, spent Friday evening with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCune and children, Dale, Carol, and David, of Springfield, spent Monday afternoon with Mr. McCune's mother, Mrs. Louella McCune.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Judd of Smithton visited Sunday afternoon with Miss Eva Belle Hotzenpillar, who accompanied them home. Miss Hotzenpillar will also visit her sisters, Mrs. Charles

Pvt. Charles Comfort of Camp Crowder visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Comfort. He was located at Camp Crohler, Calif., until two weeks ago when he was transferred.

Mr. and Mrs. Ival Smith and daughter, Donna Jean, visited recently with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Brunswick, and Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Ruth Gifford, of Dalton. They were accompanied home by their grandmother, Mrs. Nanette Moore of Brunswick, who will spend a week with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hilteneberg were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Adams of Syracuse.

Miss Velma Sparks of Kansas City has arrived for a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Morris of Sedalia visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. A. W. Hall, who has been ill the past few weeks. Mrs. Hall's condition shows improvement.

Miss Nellie Mae Sandridge of

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

La Monte

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Clarksburg

Mrs. Maude Albin
The condition of Mrs. Walter Pennington, who is still at Latham hospital, remains critical as does the condition of Mingo Foster.

Mrs. James Maxey has as her guest her daughter, Ethel, of Kansas City.

The revival meeting at the Baptist church closed Sunday night. There were several additions to the church and candidates for baptism. The Rev. Chester Ware left Saturday night after services for his home at Iberia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ruffner and little son, Kemp, left Monday for their home in Sun Ray, Tex., after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Alexander, and other relatives.

The Rev. and Mrs. Denzil Albin went to Russellville Sunday, where he filled his appointments at the Baptist church that morning and evening. He also preached at Corticelli church at 3 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Battles had as Sunday dinner guests Robert Hentges of Centertown, Miss Evelyn Archilles of Jefferson City and Mr. and Mrs. Martin S. Battles of Clarksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Golder Martin and Mrs. Nola Martin were Sunday dinner guests of Alfred Stinson and daughter, Martha.

The Rev. and Mrs. Denzil Albin took a group of his pupils to Prairie Grove school district Saturday afternoon, where he teaches,

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I JUST PAID A LOT OF TAXES A FEW WEEKS AGO!

DUE APRIL 15th

IF IT GIVES YOU PLEASURE TO COMPLAIN ABOUT YOUR WAR-TIME BURDENS —

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Night for the Morrow
By Robert D. Lusk
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PROLOGUE: A Colorado farmer, looking for some stray calves on a September evening in 1919, comes upon a sick stranger who burdens him with an important written message. Seeking help, the farmer fails and knocks himself out. When he revives both stranger and message are gone. No one believes his tale.

THE STORY: Jan Mesrik, Czechoslovak, has an unpleasant run-in with drunken Jim Norberg during an American Legion celebration.

THE VISIT

VIII

It was not until several years later that any of us in the family learned of the part my father played in the little drama which was the sequel to the encounter with the drunken Norberg. The first act of that sequel took place in a grove along the Arkansas River about a week after the Norberg incident. It was during a meeting of the local chapter of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. Norberg had the floor.

"There is a little matter I would like to take up in the private Klanishness of this meeting," Norberg began. "Of course, it may not be too important, because there was a Legion meeting on, and I was helping to entertain the delegates, and maybe I was just a little high, because of this Legion celebration. But I do wish to call the attention of the Klan to someone who is possibly not one hundred per cent American."

"I am referring to Jan Mesrik, who lives out west of town on a farm as many of you know, and who I ran into during the celebration, and maybe some of you saw it. Now, I don't mean to say this Mesrik is a Bolshevik or anything like that, but he does come from over in that part of the world, and he certainly didn't say anything that sounded too loyal to America, and I just wanted to call it to the attention of this order which is devoted to fostering pure Americanism, and furthermore I think it is to be present at the spelling contest which was in charge of the county school superintendent, Mrs. Bernyce Bailey."

Among those from a distance who attended the Joseph Albin funeral were Mrs. Pritchard (Mrs. Albin's sister-in-law), Mr. and Mrs. Elmer of Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Albin, Thomas Albin and Neta and Mary Albin, daughters of Ed Albin of Colorado Springs, Colo., Mrs. Annie McDaniel and his daughter and son-in-law of Jefferson City.

George and Charlie Albin attended the funeral Sunday afternoon at Latham of their cousin, Joseph Albin, and a number from this place attended the graveside services at New Zion cemetery.

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It was a few nights later that the visitation by the Klan to my grandfather's farm occurred. Several cars were left parked just inside the driveway to the farm house. The robed and hooded Klansmen sneaked quietly into the yard, erected the cross, lighted it, lighted their torches and lined up on either side of the flaming sign. None spoke.

The hired man by chance or someone's connivance was away. My grandfather, inside the house, was not aware of anything until the light from the cross and torches streamed in the windows, lighting the room with a strange glow. He went onto the front porch, saw the shrouded figures in the eerie light of the yard. If he was frightened, he didn't show it.

"What the hell's going on here?" he shouted. "Get out of my yard. Get off my farm."

"Jan Mesrik," a sepulchral voice from one of the Klansmen intoned, "we have come to show you the error of your ways. We have come to remind you that you are living in America, and that when you live in America it is wisest to be one hundred per cent American."

"Get the hell off this farm," Old Jan shouted, "or I'll go in and get a shot gun and show you who's an American. I'll blow those ninety-eight cent nightshirts off your heads, and then we'll see who's an American."

"Go!" the Klansman's voice of doom commanded.

At this signal the bearers of the torches deployed into the yard, running about and yelling in tones imitative of their leader. The horses in the barn began to stamp, their frightened neighing could be heard above the baying Klansmen. A strange farmyard is a dangerous place in which to run about wildly at night. Farmers are prone to leave wagons and machinery about, tongues sticking out. It was on such a wagon tongue that one of the torchbearers tripped. His flaming pole pitched into a stack of straw piled against the barn.

There had been no rain for several weeks and the straw was dusty dry. In a moment it was ablaze.

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Society

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Coe, 1208 East Ninth street, had as their Easter guests Mr. Coe's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Coe and their daughter, Mrs. Earl Bartley and infant son, of Pleasant Green, and their son and his wife, Sgt. and Mrs. J. J. Coe of Camp Carson, Ark. Sgt. Coe is on a nine day furlough which he is spending with his parents in Pleasant Green.

Other guests in the Coe home Easter day were Mrs. Coe's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Burton and children, April and Arthur of Sedalia.

A dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Collins, 1005 East Thirteenth street, in honor of their son, Gilbert Collins, who is to leave for military service in the near future.

The occasion marked the first event in 18 years when Mr. and Mrs. Collins have had all their children together at the same time. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Collins and son, Nelson; Mr. and Mrs. Tom McMackin, Mrs. Ruth Clark and daughters, Miss Pauline Clark and Mrs. W. E. Roberts; Delbert Collins, Mrs. Melvin Collins, Jerry Shaw, Emotion C. Cibist, Freeman Keeth, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Riggs and son, William, and Mr. and Mrs. James C. McCurdy.

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Fire Destroys Three-Story Building in Trenton

TRENTON, April 11.—(P)—Fire Sunday destroyed a three-story building owned by Fred O. McGuire, in which he published a weekly newspaper, The Missourian. The building also housed a miniature golf course, the U. S. Employment Service office, three families and the I. O. O. F. lodge, and formerly housed the city post-office. Chillicothe firemen aided in fighting the blaze.

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Emu Lays An Egg
BUFFALO—Mayor Joseph J. Kelly demands big game when he goes Easter egg hunting.

He prowled the bird house at the zoo for an hour yesterday, having been told the Australian Emu was about to hatch an egg—but the Emu didn't oblige. "At least, if it did, I didn't see it," he said regretfully.

Scrap Appeal
WILLIAMSPORT, Pa.—City council turned down an appeal of a junk dealer, self-styled "victim of these community scrap drives," for a municipal loan to buy a horse—but personally contributed \$5 toward a fund to get added horsepower in the man's failing business.

Belated Honor
BOISE, Idaho — James O. Newcomb, 64, has just been advised by the army that he has been awarded the purple heart—for wounds suffered in the battle of San Juan Hill, Cuba, July 1, 1898.

Dumb Bunny?
KENILWORTH, Ill.—James Cleary, Jr., 14, and his brother, Michael, 7, discovered what they thought an apparent amphibious accident of the Easter bunny along Lake Michigan's shore.

Easter Sunday morning they found hundreds of eggs bobbing in the lake and scattered over more than a block of the lake front. By using long poles, they fished more than 50 of them ashore.

Real Estate Transfers

Sedalia Savings and Loan Association to Vernon and Lois L. Dotson, WD property at northeast corner of Pettis street and railroad—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Ella F. Peithman et al to J. Earl and Beulah T. Crawford, WD property on south side of Tenth street between Limit avenue and State Fair boulevard—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Fred M. Overfelt and wife to Newton T. and Ona R. Nelson, WD property on west side of Barrett avenue between Eighteenth and Twentieth streets—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Archie B. Haggstrom to C. L. Hughes, WD 160 acres of land, more or less, in Green Ridge Township—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Charles E. Salmon to Gilbert N. and Margaret Irene Collins, WD property on west side of Brown avenue between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Dollie A. Fromme to Mordant J. and Amanda E. Stott, WD property at northwest corner of Seventh street and Brown avenue—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Tailor, Charged With Murder, Dies in Hospital

WICHITA, April 10.—(P)—Stanley K. Bargel, 60-year-old tailor who was charged with first degree murder in the death last Thursday of Capt. Gail S. Braden of the Wichita fire department, died early today in a hospital here.

Detective Victor Stough, who signed the complaint against Bargel, said the tailor shot himself through the head after killing Braden and trying to shoot another fireman, Assistant Chief Elgin Wood.

Walter D. Hoch, administrator to Ralph W. and Juanita B. Dow, Adm's D., property in Georgetown, Mo.—\$326.00.

Charles L. Hanley and wife to E. C. and Mildred Wollet, WD property on west side of Lamine avenue between Second and Third streets—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Lottie Bond and husband to Ben W. and Pearl Bailey, WD property on south side of Fourth street between Lafayette avenue and railroad—\$1.00 and other consideration.

John L. Hunt to Luther M. and Lydia Walker, WD property in Beaman, Mo.—\$500.00.

Sophia A. Jacobs et al to Everett M. and Mayme L. Mosby, WD 15

Political Announcements

B. B. BETTIS
Republican Candidate for SHERIFF
Subject to Republican Primary Tuesday, August 1, 1944

For County Sheriff
The Democrat-Capital is authorized to announce Archie A. Smith a candidate for the nomination for Sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the action of the Republican Party Primary, Tuesday August 1, 1944.

E. W. (ED) GOETZ
Republican Candidate for SHERIFF
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Subject to Democratic Primary, TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1944

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Personals

J. W. Hackler, chief machinist of the navy, who has been in the Pacific area the past two and one-half years, is spending his first leave with his wife and two children, Stella and Martin Hughes, 2114 East Seventh street. He will be here for 30 days.

Thomas W. Wilson and daughter, Mrs. F. W. Fisher and son, Tommy of Lafayette, Ind., spent the weekend here, staying at Hotel Bothwell and attended the performance of Mendelssohn's "Elijah" at the service club at the Sedalia Army Air Field Sunday afternoon with Mr. Wilson's son, Warrant Officer Thomas E. Wilson conducting.

Pvt. Samuel C. Lyles, Jr., left this morning for an unannounced assignment after spending a 15-day furlough here with his wife, who resides at Eleventh street and Lamine avenue and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Lyles, 1703 South Osage avenue. He came to Sedalia from Camp Blanding, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hackler and children, Stella and Martin Hughes, 2114 East Seventh street, have as their Easter guests Mr. and Mrs. George Glover and son, Phil, of Eldon, Mo. Mr. Hackler is a chief machinist of the navy and is home on leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roberts, 1604 South Montauk avenue, had as their Easter guests, Mrs. Robert's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sisson and Roy Sisson, of Knob Noster.

Charles Eirls, 1104 South Massachusetts avenue and Bob Mathews, 1321 South Montauk avenue, are spending a few days in Kansas City.

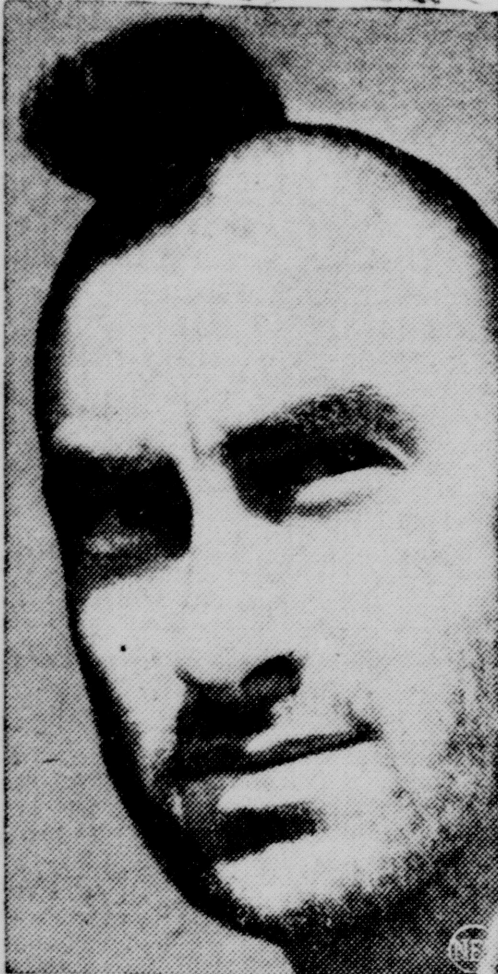
Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Garrett and daughter, Rae Carolyn, who are residing for the present in Salina, Kas., left this afternoon, after spending Easter with their daughter, Dorothy, who will remain in Sedalia until the close of school, and Mrs. Garrett's mother, Mrs. Henry Greschen, 1200 West Second street and Mr. Garrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Garrett of Route 2.

Miss Nellie Mae McVey, employed at the City National bank in Kansas City, spent Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McVey, Jr., 809 West Seventh street. With her, as her guest, was Miss Cynthia Haug, employed at the same bank, whose home is in Concordia, Kas.

Capt. and Mrs. John W. Ray, Camp Breckinridge, Ky., are here for a visit with Capt. Ray's mother, Mrs. Letha Ray, 1102 South Kentucky avenue.

Earl Mullins, formerly of Sedalia and who has been employed in a navy shipyard for some time in the state of California, returned to Missouri where he spent a few days in St. Louis on business. He is now visiting friends in Sedalia before going back to California where he expects to be employed for the duration.

War, Lock



(USCG photo from NEA)
All this seaman aboard a Coast Guard-manned assault transport needs to do is daub a little war paint on his puss and the Japs will think a Comanche Indian is after them. He plans to wear the scalp-lock right through the Victory Parade in Tokyo.

and family, and left last week for Fort Worth, Tex. Mr. Cooper is teaching school in Texas.

Mrs. B. T. Schondelmier and son, Richard, have returned to their home in Kansas City following a several-days visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith and other relatives. Richard, former Houstonia boy, expects to be called into military service in April.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Nutt of near Green Ridge were Sunday dinner guests in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nutt.

Mrs. Mollie Nutt recently spent a few days at Sweet Springs with her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Yokeley, and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Yokeley, near Herndon.

Leonard Lockney, in military service, is spending a furlough of a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lockney and family.

Mrs. Bennie Martin and mother, Mrs. Mollie Nutt, visited Mrs. Martin's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vickery, Sedalia, at their South Ohio apartment Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Martin, who has spent a few weeks at Ames, Ia., with her husband, who is taking a motor machinist course at Iowa State college there, spent a few days here with her parents and other relatives and returned Friday to Ames. Her husband, Orvil Frank Martin, seaman second class, expects to complete the course April 8.

Properly Frozen Foods Nutritious

"Anyone who has recently tasted properly frozen vegetables or fruits from their locker will surely be planning their food production to have more of those delicious and nutritious foods this year," says Dorothy Bacon, Home Demonstration Agent.

"Just this week we have had greens which tasted just as if we had picked them out of the garden 15 minutes before. They actually were put in the locker last June. This particular box of greens consisted of lamb's quarter, spinach, and mustard mixed about equally. The asparagus, peas, and corn have been equally tasty. And so have the blackberries, strawberries, and cherries we have been using."

Miss Bacon cautions against the common mistakes made by amateurs in freezing foods. They are over mature products and improper blanching. "When you plant your vegetables plan on picking them just before you think they are ready. Only the most tender vegetables taste good when frozen. When blanching them remember it takes 5 gallons of boiling water to one pint of product and even more cold water to cool it properly. Remember too that variety is an important qualification for freezing and must be taken into consideration when planning your garden."

Large Parsnip V Shaped

A large parsnip, shaped like an almost perfect V, was found by Ben L. Otten, of Syracuse, in his garden. Mr. Otten mailed the parsnip to the Democrat-Capital office where it is now on display.

Divorce Suit Filed

A divorce suit was filed in the circuit court this morning by C. G. Evans against Della Evans. The couple was married in Missouri and separated in April of 1943. General indignities are alleged in the petition.

G. Logan Marr, Versailles, is the attorney for the plaintiff.

Births . . .

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Kruse, route 2, Green Ridge, at 9 o'clock Easter Sunday evening at Bothwell hospital.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. F. Jerome Schenk, LaMonte, Saturday night at 9:55 o'clock at the Bothwell hospital.

Heaviest Rain-fall in Years

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reached the top of the curbing at one time.

Two Fire Runs

Two runs were made by the fire companies this morning during the height of the storm. The first at 11:50 o'clock when lightning struck a switch box at the Weathers Market on highway 65 and Ninth street. Slight damage resulted.

The second alarm was at 2:05 o'clock to 703 West Third street, where a fire had started around a gas furnace. No damage resulted.

East Sedalia Streets Flooded

The highest water seen in many years in East Sedalia, a miniature lake formed in a section through which an old stream used to flow.

Water was from one to three feet deep in the area from Thirteenth street and Hancock avenue down to Thirteenth street and Summit avenue. The water raced eastward down Fourteenth street, and flooded Engineer from Thirteenth to the alley between Sixteenth and Fifteenth streets. It continued on down Fifteenth street east to about two blocks of Engineer, then across the fields making its way down to regular flowing creeks.

• Obituaries

D. C. Kessler

D. C. Kessler, aged 70 years, former Sedalia barber, died suddenly at his home in Windsor at 8 o'clock Sunday morning.

Mr. Kessler had lived in Windsor for ten years. Prior to that he had been a Sedalian for 19 years. Back in 1915 he operated a barber shop at 105 West Third street, a location that later became part of the former Sedalia National bank and now used by the Crown Drug store. He continued his trade in the O. K. shop and for some years served as state barber inspector. The Kesslers lived at 315 East Fifth street.

Mr. Kessler was born in Crawfordville, Indiana. Surviving him are two adopted children: William S. Kessler, Oklahoma City; and Mrs. Marjorie Wells, Kansas City; and a brother, Perry Kessler, Ft. Collins, Colo.

Services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Huston-Turner funeral home, Windsor, with the Rev. G. L. Wiedeman, pastor of the Christian church there, presiding. Mr. Kessler was a member of that church. Burial will be in Windsor cemetery.

Miss Ottie L. Kester Service
Funeral services for Miss Ottie Lee Kester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lee Kester, 815 West Third street, who died at 10:30 Friday night, were held at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon at the McLaughlin chapel with Rev. J. Fred King, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating.

Mrs. W. L. Lewis and Mrs. Roy Kirochhofer sang "Rock of Ages," "Beautiful Isle," and "No Night There," with Mrs. Mae Moser at the organ.

Pallbearers were: L. A. Spencer, Eugene Hugenschmidt, Floyd Potter, Tom Keating, James Nevill and Ray Dirck.

Burial was in Crown Hill cemetery.

Infant Daughter Dies

The infant daughter born at 2:15 o'clock this morning to Cpl. and Mrs. Quinton C. Miller, 727 East Fifth street, at Bothwell hospital, died this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Scholarships For 4-H Members

Missouri 4-H Club members are eligible to apply for 13 college scholarships, each valued at \$100, and for ten camp scholarships which are to be awarded this year, reports R. S. Clough, state club agent for the University of Missouri College of Agriculture.

Entries may be made through county extension agents by May 1, and no limit will be placed on county entries for college scholarships. Only one boy and one girl to a county may apply for the camp scholarships. Any individual may compete for both a college and a camp scholarship.

The college scholarships include three boys and three girls for the Edward K. Love Wildlife Foundation scholarships; two boys and two girls for the American Farm Fire Underwriters' scholarships; and three individuals for the National Dairy Products Company awards.

William H. Danforth is providing \$43 scholarships for one boy and one girl to attend Camp Minnawana, Michigan, and the American Youth Foundation is offering four boys and four girls half-scholarships (\$21.50) to attend the same camp. Previous delegates to the camp will be considered as candidates for half-scholarships.

ODT's New Head



J. Monroe Johnson, above, member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, is the new director of the Office of Defense Transportation, succeeding the late Joseph Eastman.

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Knob Noster

Mrs. O. A. Blaylock, teacher at Pleasant Prairie school east of town, gave a line party for her pupils at the Victory theater Saturday night. The pupils are Billy Lockard, Lawrence Atwell, James Lockard, Charles Faulconer, Doris Faulconer, Betty Bolton, Eugene Bolton, Lester Lane, Nadine Gornell, Peggy Sue Gornell, Billy Lee Siegfried, Doris Lane, Weldon Lockard, Eugene Vaughn, Rosemary Siegfried, Ervin Eugene Benz, Dorothy Lane, Ray Cockrum, Junior Cockrum, Alan Phelps and Elizabeth Lockard. Lynnel and Dale Blaylock also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thurston and son, Dickie, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Glendon House of Warrensburg to the Lake of the Ozarks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Breon and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breon and daughter, Diana, were dinner guests Sunday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Breon and Miss Emma Leonard.

Mrs. John L. Butcher, who has been very ill at her home, is slowly improving.

Miss Ruth McDaniel of Kansas City spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Rev. and Mrs. O. A. Blaylock and family.

Mrs. Lewis Leaton returned last week from Mulvane, Kas., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Wheeler and family.

Staff Sgt. Eugene Boyd left Friday night for Camp Lee, Va., after spending a ten-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd and family.

Charles F. Covey, who is employed in Kansas City, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Covey and their son, Billy Dan.

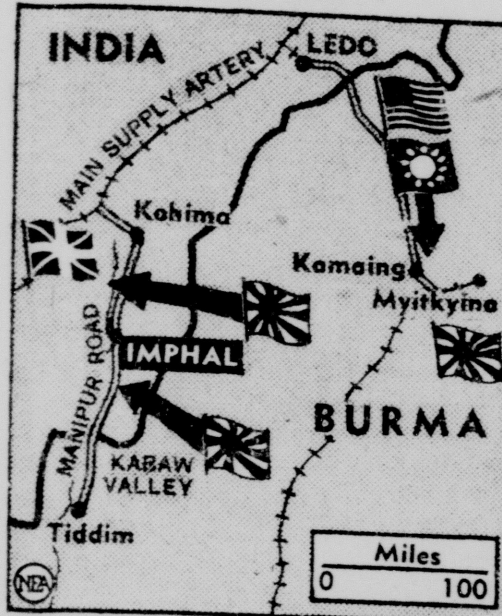
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson and daughter, Patsy Ann, spent Sunday in Warrensburg with her father, C. A. Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Leaton attended the wedding of Miss Betty Ellis and Ray Schroder at the Methodist church in Longwood Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock, after which a reception was held at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Mary Dillithy, in Sedalia. Mrs. Leaton played the wedding music.

Misses Betty Lou Elliott and Mary Lee Bagby spent Saturday night and Sunday in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Webster and daughter, Leora Lee, of Kansas City, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Webster's parents.

Wherezit:



Map above shows how Japanese forces invading India from Burma have cut, north and south of Imphal, the Manipur Road, main supply route for British forces operating in the Kabaw Valley. Above Imphal, British supply base for the area. Jap thrust may turn northward against railroad which connects with Ledo Road and supplies Chinese-American troops driving southward toward Jap base at Myitkine.

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Olvis.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Foster and son, Calvin, of Kansas City, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Sappington and family. Their daughter, Mrs. James W. Blum, and son, Richard Brian, who have been guests in the Sappington home the past two weeks, returned home with them.

The Markets

Bonds Relatively Steady

NEW YORK, April 10.—(P)—Ralls and scattered industrials edged into the recovery van of today's stock market but many lenders were unable to surmount light selling hurdles. Prices were around the best at the opening when Sinclair Oil came in in blocks of 1,000 to 10,000 shares and registered a peak for the year with a minor advance. Dealings then turned sluggish. Near-closing quotations were somewhat uneven. Volume for the full proceedings approximated 600,000 shares.

Better performers included Santa Fe, Western Union, "A," American Can, Montgomery Ward, Union Carbide and Allied Chemical. Underwater at intervals were Chrysler, General Motors, Anaconda, Westinghouse, General Electric, U. S. Rubber, Du Pont and International Harvester. Steel, utilities, aircrafts, oils and copper moved over a slim area. Bonds were relatively steady.

Quiet Trading in Grains

CHICAGO, April 10.—(P)—Grains held within a narrow range in a quiet trade today, activity being restricted by the fact that a department of agriculture crop report was due after the market close. There was some buying on rain in the corn and oats, further delaying planting, and fractional gains ruled for most of the session.

Demand for all cash grains, with the exception of rye, continued strong. Corn bookings amounted to 55,000 bushels. The board announced a sharp decline in the visible supply of corn last week, placing the total supply at 10,706,000 bushels compared with 35,707,000 bushels at this time last year.

At the close wheat was unchanged to 1/4 cent higher, July \$1.71 1/4; oats were unchanged to 1/4 cent higher, July 79 1/4; and rye was 1/4 cent higher, May \$1.31 1/4 to \$1.31 1/2. May barley was bid at \$1.23, the ceiling, throughout the session.

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, April 10.—(P)—Wheat: 205 cents; unchanged; No. 2 dark hard. Nominal \$1.62 to \$1.72; No. 3, nominal \$1.61 to \$1.70. Corn: 70 cents.

Oats: 11 cents, No. 2 white, nominal

85c to 87c; No. 3, nominal 83 1/2c to 85 1/2c.

Rye, nominal \$1.31 1/4 to \$1.32.

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, April 10.—(P)—	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
May	\$1.73 1/4	\$1.73 1/4	\$1.73 1/4
July	1.71 1/4	1.71 1/4	1.71 1/4
Sept	1.69 1/4	1.69 1/4	1.69 1/4
Dec	1.67 1/4	1.67 1/4	1.67 1/4
OATS—			
May	.82	.82	.82
July	.79 1/4	.79	.79 1/4
Sept	.76 1/4	.76 1/4	.76 1/4
Dec	.76 1/4	.76	.76 1/4
RYE—			
May	1.31 1/4	1.30 1/4	1.31 1/4
July	1.26 1/4	1.26 1/4	1.26 1/4
Sept	1.24 1/4	1.24 1/4	1.24 1/4
Dec	1.22 1/4	1.22 1/4	1.22 1/4
BARLEY—			
May	—	—	1.28
July	—	—	1.26 1/4
Sept	—	—	1.22

St. Louis Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., April 10.—(P)—(War Food Administration)—Hogs, 15,000; open steady to 10 cents higher than average Friday; later trade on 180 pounds and mostly steady; clearance not complete; mostly sales good and choice 200 to 220 pounds \$14.00 to \$14.10; top \$14.10; later sales 200 to 270 pounds \$13.50 to \$14.00; 270 to 330 pounds \$13.70 to \$13.85; 170 to 190 pounds mostly \$13.00 to \$13.85; 140 to 160 pounds \$11.50 to \$12.65; 120 to 140 pounds \$9.50 to \$11.65; 100 to 120 pounds \$7.50 to \$9.65; bulk good sows \$13.15 to \$13.25; stags \$12.75 down; quotations based on hard hogs.

Cattle, 3,000; calves, 1,000; opening active and strong with Friday; around 40 loads steers offered; several loads good and choice steers \$14.50 to \$15.75; common and medium \$12.75 to \$14.00; medium and good heifers and mixed yearlings \$12.50 to \$14.65; common and bulls up to \$13.00; medium and good medium beef cows \$9.25 to \$11.25; beef sausage bulls \$10.50 to \$11.50; vealers 50 cents lower; good and choice \$15.00; medium and good \$12.50 to \$13.75; nominal range slaughter steers \$10.25 to \$16.50; slaughter heifers \$9.75 to \$16.00; stocker and feeder steers \$9.75 to \$11.00.

Sheep, 1,400; receipts include five doubles southwest clipped lambs and around 200 mixed trucked ins; market opened steady; two doubles medium and good clipped lambs No. 1 skins \$13.50.

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, April 10.—(P)—Butter: Firm; receipts 75,000; creamery butter, 93 score AA, 41 1/2c; 92 A, 41c; 90 B, 40 1/2c; 89 C, 40 1/4c; cooking 88, 39c; centralized carlots 90, 40 1/2c.

Eggs: Receipts 31,575; steady; U. S. specials 35c to 36 1/2c; extras 34c to 35 1/2c; standards 1-4 31c to 31 1/2c; current receipts 30c; dirties 25 1/2c; checks 28c.

St. Louis Produce

ST. LOUIS, April 10.—(P)—Produce: Eggs: U. S. specials (46 pound average) 33 1/2c; U. S. standards (44 to 45 pound average) 31 1/2c; U. S. standards (43 to 44 pound average) 29 1/2c; current receipts (43 pound minimum) 27 1/2c; pullets 25 1/2c.

Poultry: Hens (all weights) colored and Leachons 23.9c; roasters (4 pounds and over) Rocks and colored 27.4c; fryers (3 to 4 pounds) Rocks and colored 27.1c; broilers (under 3 pounds) Rocks and colored 27.4c; Leghorns (2 pounds and under) 27.4c; Leghorns (over 2 pounds) 23c; roosters (all weights) old and staggy young 19.9c; ducks (all weights) white 24c; dark 24c; young geese (all weights) 24.9c; young turkeys (under 18 pounds) 34.9c; 18 to 22 pounds 33.4c; over 22 pounds 32.4c.

Butter: 93 score 41.2c; 92 score 40.7c; 90 score 40.45c.

Butterfat: 47c to 44c.

Cheese: Northern Twins and cheddars 25 1/2c; long horns 25 1/2c.

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, April 10.—(P)—(War Food Administration)—Hogs, 19,000; fairly active, generally 10 to 15 cents higher than Friday; good and choice 200 to 350 pounds \$13.50 to \$14.00; top \$14.00; several loads \$10 to \$15 pounds \$13.65 to \$13.85; good and choice 170 to 190 pounds \$13.25 to \$13.85; few 150 to 170 pounds \$12.50 to \$13.50; good and choice 350 to 550 pound sows \$13.25 to \$13.50; choice light weights up to \$13.60; complete clearance.

Closing of Leading Stocks

	Close	Mon.
American & For. Power	34 1/2	34 1/2
American Smelt & R.	39	38 3/4
American Tel. & Tel.	137 1/4	137 1/4
American Tobacco, B.	62	62
Anaconda	26 1/2	26 1/2
Atchafalpa & S. F.	56	56 1/2
Atlas Power	4	4
Aviation Corp.	4	4
Bethlehem Steel	58 1/4	58 1/4
Chrysler Corp.	54 1/4	54 1/4
Coca-Cola	84 1/4	84 1/4
Curtis, Wright	51 1/2	51 1/2
Curtis-Wright A.	17	17
Du Pont de Nemours	145	144 1/4
Eastman Kodak	36 1/4	36 1/4
General Electric	32 1/4	32 1/4
General Foods	42 1/4	42 1/4
General Motors	38 1/4	38 1/4
International Harvester	71 1/4	71 1/4
International Shoe	37 1/4	37 1/4
International Tel. & Tel.	14 1/4	14 1/4
Kennecott Corp.	31 1/4	31 1/4
Libbey, McNeil & L.	7 1/4	7 1/4
Liggett and Myers B.	75	75
Loose-Wiles Biscuit	30	30
Mid-Cont. Petroleum	26 1/4	26 1/4
Missouri-Kansas-Texas	34 1/4	34 1/4
Montgomery Ward	44 1/4	44 1/4
Nash-Kelvinator	12 1/4	12 1/4
National Cash Register	27 1/4	27 1/4
North American Co.	17 1/4	17 1/4
Packard Motor	4	4
Pepsi-Cola	50 1/4	50 1/4
Phillips Petroleum	44 1/4	44 1/4
Purity Baking	22 1/4	22 1/4
Radio Corp. of America	9 3/4	9 3/4
Reynolds Tob. B.	30 1/4	30 1/4
Sears Roebuck	88 1/4	88 1/4
Skelly Oil	40	39 3/4
Southern Calif. Edison	23 1/4	23 1/4
Standard Oil Indiana	33 1/4	33 1/4
Studebaker Corporation	15 1/4	15 1/4
Swift & Co.	31 1/4	30 3/4
U. S. Steel	51 1/4	51 1/4
Westinghouse El. & Mfg.	36 1/4	36

Some Leaders On the Curb

	Close	Mon.
American Light and T.	18 1/4	18 1/4
Arkansas Nat. Gas	3 1/4	3 1/4
Arkansas Nat. Gas A.	3 1/4	3 1/4
Cities Service	15 1/4	15 1/4
Cities Service, P.	106	105
El Bond and Sh.	8 1/4	8 1/4
Ford Motor Can. A.	4 1/4	4 1/4
Ford Motor Ltd.	4 1/4	4 1/4
Nat. Bel. Hes.	1 1/4	1 1/4
South Railway	1 1/4	1 1/4
Standard Oil Ky.	17 1/4	17 1/4

Cattle, 12,000; calves, 700; strictly good and choice fed steers and yearlings steady to strong; all other 10 to 15 cents higher, medium weights up most; heifers steady to strong along with most grades beef cows; canners and cutters and light and medium weight bulls slow, steady to weak; weighty sausage and beef bulls fully

Polli Replaces Adams in the Giant Bullpen

Durocher Breaks his Right Thumb During Game With Boston

By Ted Meier
NEW YORK, April 10—(P)—It looks like Ace Adams has seen the last of a bullpen.

The star of the 1943 Giant relief pitching staff, who appeared in a record number of 70 games last year, has been promised a starting role by Manager Mel Ott.

To this end the Giants purchased over the weekend veteran 40-year-old Polli from their Jersey City International league farm. Polli is expected to replace Adams as the ace of the bullpen.

Adams Won 11 Lost 7

Adams, who won 11 and lost 7 games last summer, worked 67 games in relief before Ott let him start. On Sept. 12, he started and went the route against the Boston Braves, winning 7-2. Before the season ended he started two more games.

Adams watched from the bench yesterday as the Giants plastered an 8 to 3 defeat on the Yankees at Atlantic City, N. J.

Another noteworthy feature of the weekend happened at Brooklyn where Manager Leo Durocher of the Dodgers broke his right thumb in two places, trying to spear a wild throw bare-handed. Thus ended Branch Rickey's hopes

that his manager would start the season at second base.

The accident happened in an exhibition game against the Boston Red Sox which the Dodgers won in the 12th inning.

Other major league news:

WASHINGTON SENATORS—Great relief pitching by Dutch Leonard gave Senators 2-1 win over Phils. Leonard came on the scene in the ninth when the Phils loaded the sacks with none out.

CLEVELAND INDIANS—Manager Lou Boudreau is well satisfied with condition of players although club has played only two games against major league opposition. Red Embree and Vern Kennedy listed to pitch against Pirates today.

DETROIT TIGERS—Club is ready to break camp at Evansville, Ind., tomorrow.

CINCINNATI REDS—Manager Bill McKechnie commented: "I've got as good a pitching staff as any in the National league. Bucky Walters looks as good as he ever did; Elmer Riddle is in great shape; Ray Starr will be worth a lot to us an dthere's no need to mention this fellow (Tomas) De La Cruz."

CHICAGO CUBS—Pitchers Paul Derringer, Bill Fleming and John Milos are on sick list.

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Pitcher Ted Wilks expected to report to club today. He was rejected for military services.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Team will break camp Tuesday and plan to work out at Comiskey park in Chicago Wednesday.

NEW YORK YANKEES—George Weiss, vice president, said there was nothing to reports that the Yankees are seeking Ray Hayworth, Johnny Cooney, Paul Warner or any other Brooklyn players.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Rip Sewell had his slow ball working okay against Detroit. He limited Tigers to three hits in pitching four scoreless innings.

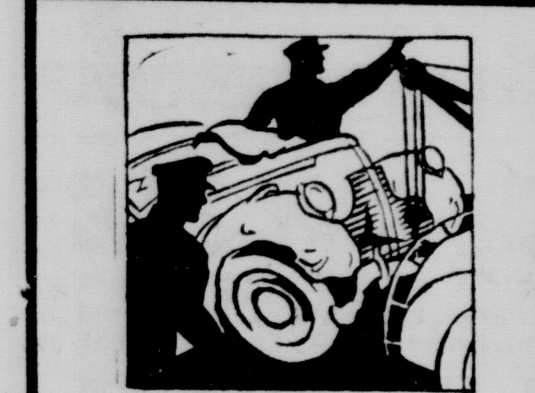
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Oh, well, it's spring—and you know what that does to you. So you can't blame Emmett Kelly, who has been clowning for the last 23 years, if he takes a little nap and has a little dream between appearances with Ringling Brothers and Barnum and Bailey Circus in New York.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, April 10—(P)—That guy with the white coat and the loud voice won't be kidding this yezidnop he hollers: "You can't tell the players without a score card." ... In fact, the printer will have to work fast some days so that you can tell 'em with a score card. ... So, just to help baseball fans become better acquainted with the numerous newcomers, this dept. will introduce them briefly from day to day. Here goes:

A Rookie a Day
Grey Clarke, White Sox third baseman — Led American Association batters with 346 at Milwaukee last year; good team player and a steady player on the hot corner. Called "Noisy" by the Brewers because he isn't. Chews a big cud of "eatin' tobacco" and his uniform usually looks like Pepper Martin's used to. The Sox' laundry bill is sure to go up.
Carl Lindquist, Braves pitcher — A 15-game winner for Hartford last season. Started campaign by blanking Springfield on opening day; topped it off Sept. 4 by getting married the same day that he won game 15; the next day the fans chipped in \$179.55 for a wedding present.

Freedom of Reach
Basketball's anti-goal tending rule must have been a severe blow to Long Jim McIntyre, who scored 86 points in three games to pace Patrick Henry of Minneapolis to the Minnesota high school title. ... At 16, Jim is six feet, 7 1/2 inches tall and weighs 225 pounds. ... With that human tower in the lineup, we assume Patrick Henry must have changed that famous line to read: "Give him liberty or give the other team two points."

Monday Matinee
Frank Leahy, who was here awaiting orders to go overseas for the USO, has turned up on the Notre Dame campus again. ... Challenge Me, who became an important Kentucky Derby candidate by winning the Oak Lawn Handicap and Arkansas Derby, likely will be Louisville's local pride this year. He was bred by Lieut. Warner Jones, Jr., of Goshen, N. Y., who is stationed at Fort Knox.

Service Dept.
Capt. William H. Harridge, Jr., son of the American league president, is commander of a tank company at Camp Berkeley, Tex. A football and boxing fan, Capt. Harridge never had any connection with baseball, but he recently took Will, Sr., for a rough ride in a tank—which sounds like he might be practicing to take over Judge Landis' job. ... Lieut. Paul (Bear) Bryant, the "other" end of Alabama's Howell-to-Hutson grid team of 1935, recently visited the Alabama campus after more than a year of duty with the navy in North Africa. ... After seeing the material Coach Frank Thomas is assembling for next season, Bear headed right back to Africa.

Sports Mirror

By the Associated Press
TODAY A YEAR AGO—Short-stop Martin Marion of St. Louis Cardinals underwent emergency appendectomy.
THREE YEARS AGO—Boston Bruins beat Detroit Red Wings, 4 to 2, for third straight Stanley Cup hockey playoff triumph.
FIVE YEARS AGO—Byron Nelson's 130 for two consecutive rounds at Phoenix tourney hailed as outstanding feat for pro winter golf campaign.

The word private—lowest rank in the army—was the name originally given to soldiers hired by feudal barons in their private wars.

Cards Among The Chosen Good Teams

Cincy Reds; Senators And Indians Favored As Pennant Winners

By Joe Reichler

NEW YORK, April 10—(P)—Tabbed by some as the teams with the best chances of winning the pennants, the St. Louis Cardinals and Cincinnati Reds of the National league, and the Washington Senators and Cleveland Indians of the American league, to date have dominated the Red planned or spring exhibition baseball circuit.

With the opening of the regular season only a week off, the National league champions and runners-up are deadlocked for the lead, each having won three games without a reversal.

The Senators top the American league teams with four wins and one loss, with the Indians close behind, having won two of three.

Only one of the Cardinals' three victories was gained against major league opposition, that one was against their city rivals, the St. Louis Browns. Two of the Cincinnati victories were gained against the Philadelphia Phillies, their only big league competition.

The chilly league has produced one major surprise, however, with

the New York Yankees riddled by wholesale service calls, the world champions still show the best record of any American league club against major league opposition despite a setback by their interborough rivals, the Giants. Joe McCarthy's men have won four and lost three.

Connie Mack's Philadelphia Athletics set a torrid early pace by winning their first six games, but made an about face and dropped their next four.

The National league holds an 11 to eight edge over its junior loop rivals. The edge was manufactured primarily by the Cardinals, Reds and Giants.

Hockey Fans Are Good for a Day

CHICAGO, April 10—(P)—Chicago stadium hockey fans were on their good behavior last night, but apparently it wasn't intentional. Ushers met balcony customers and relieved them of coat hangers, steel bolts, smoked fish, lemons, oranges, limes, boxes of soap flakes, toilet paper, megaphones, candy, peanuts, pennies in 25-cent rolls, playing cards, year-old magazines and two folding chairs.

Last Thursday balcony fans showered the ice and delayed the second playoff game nearly 20 minutes. Later Mervyn Dutton, hockey league president, warned that a repetition would result in forfeiture of the game to the visitors.

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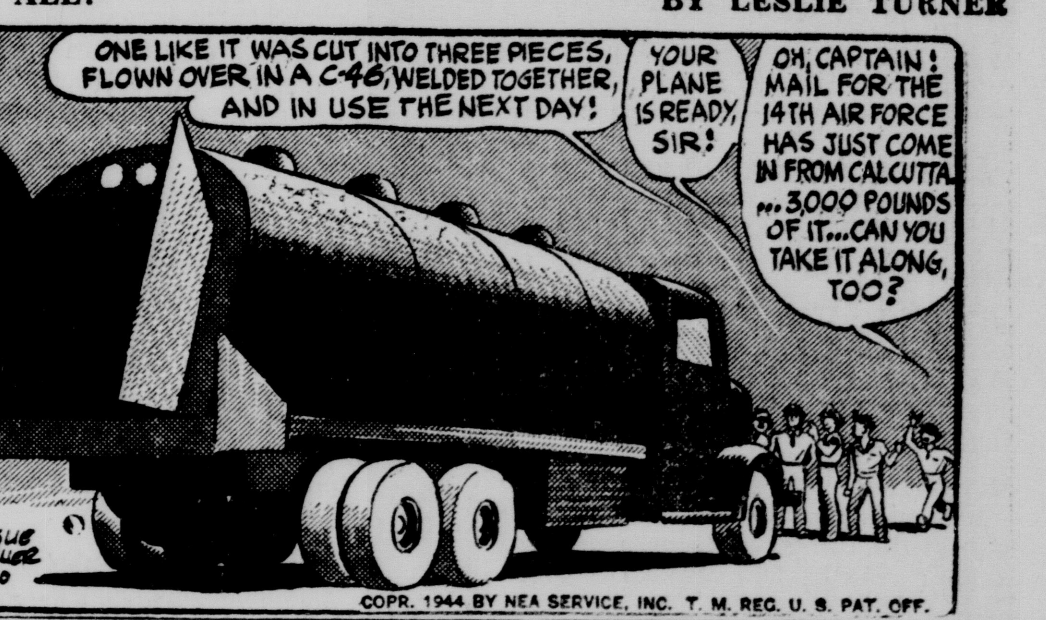
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I-Announcements

7-Personals
SOMEONE TO KEEP cow for milk. 600 East 16th. Phone 1561.
SUBSCRIBE to the Kansas City Star, delivered twice daily Phone 2405.
WATKINS DEALER - Cain at Hutchinson's, 804 West Third. Plant dust.
WILL RECEIVE BIDS-painting. 800 West 7th. 912 West 5 to April 15th. J. W. Menefee.
IF AGED AND IN NEED of a home call in person at 808 West Sixth or Phone 528. Experienced care guaranteed.
PASENERS WANTED-to San Diego, California, share expenses, and help with driving. Phone 2156.
SELLING OUT?-Sell by Public Auction. Ralph Stuart, Auctioneer. Phone 69-F-23 Sedalia, Missouri. Route 4, Reverse Charges.
10-Strayed, Lost, Found
LOST: Light brown pocket book containing money and rail road pass. Liberal reward. Phone 625.
LOST: IDENTIFICATION BRACELET - Margaret Elgar Kelly, tan pigskin gloves. Phone 2041.
LOST - Black and tan female hound. Scar on one hind leg, strap around neck. Volle Moore, phone 1706-W.
LOST: DARK COLLIE DOG, white ring around neck, 4 white feet. Reward. H. Taylor, Route 3, Sedalia, Mo.
LOST: Black dog, four white paws, white neck, white tip on tail. Reward. Will answer to "Cubby." Phone 676 or 3731-W.

II-Automobile

11-Automobiles for Sale
1941 CHEVROLET-coach. Good tires. Phone 98.
GOOD USED CARS-15th and Ohio. Archie Decker.
1934-PLYMOUTH SEDAN-like new. See this car. Phone 1149-J.
1939 FORD DELUXE, A-1 condition. 1521 South Grand. Phone 413.
1940 MASTER De Luxe Chevrolet, perfect condition. Phone 942 or 2196.
1939 PLYMOUTH-Tudor, 1940 Dodge tudor. Felix Sullivan. Phone 714.
CHEVROLET TUDOR coach 1937, good condition, stored since September, 1942. No tires. Owner out of town. Interested write Box "100" Sedalia Democrat.
1941 FORD TUDOR sedan, perfect tires, 1936 Dodge panel, 700x16 rear, 600x16 front 6 ply, motor perfect, \$375. 1937 Chevrolet pickup, good rubber, \$350. Mike Donahoe, 501 West Main. Phone 135 or 4166.
12-Auto Trucks for Sale
INTERNATIONAL pickup, very clean, new tires. 2104 East Broadway.
13-Auto Accessories, Tires Parts
TIRES VULCANIZED-24 hour service. Radiators backflushed. Special stove and light gasoline. Battery charging and rentals. Hunting and Fishing license. Open all day Sunday. Floral Tire and Battery Station. 16th and 65. Phone 3260. Sedalia, Mo.
15-Motorcycles and Bicycles
SPEEDWAY BICYCLE-two new tires. Phone 3795-W.
TWO BOYS BICYCLES-one \$35, one \$25. 1311 South Ohio.
16-Repairing-Service Stations
TRACTOR TIRES, truck tire, battery and lubrication service. Phillips Service Station, 7th and Ohio. Phone 3282.
17-Wanted Automotive
WANTED-late model car. Phone 2196.

III-Business Service

18-Business Services Offered
PEABODY RADIO SERVICE for twenty years at 1319 S. Osage. Phone 854.
WILL GRIND LAWNMOWERS-with electric machine. 703 Lafayette. Phone 3667.
MACHINE WORK-Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Missouri. Homer Hall, 205 South Osage. Phone 766.
WASHER, VACUUM CLEANER SERVICE, parts, wringer rolls, dust bags, all makes. Burkholder Maytag, 109 Ohio. Phone 114.
TYPEWRITERS-REPAIRED-Sundstrand adding machines. Harry Tennyson, Agent. Underwood Elliott Fisher Products. Write Postal Card for Service owing out of town calls makes frequent absent from office. 500 1/2 South Ohio, Sedalia, Mo.
ANNOUNCEMENT - After April 1st my shop at 1006 South Grand, will be open for cabinet building. Screens made to order, antique furniture refinishing, and interior decorating done in your home. Phil R. Burford. Phone 3458. Phone calls answered 6 to 7 a. m., 12 to 1 p. m., 6 to 7 p. m.
HAVE YOUR old mattresses made over into a fine renovated and recovered mattress, at a very low cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds. Bryan-Paulus Awning Company. Phone 131.
SINGER - New Singer electric sewing machines for rent. All makes of sewing machines repaired. We buy used machines. New machines for sale. A Singer representative is in Sedalia regularly. Write Singer Sewing Machine Company, 106 East High, Jefferson City, Missouri.
19-Building and Contracting
REPAIR - REMODEL HOMES-farms. For estimates call Tom Ware 2664.

IV-Employment

24-Laundering
WANTED WASHINGS-\$1.00 per bushel basket. 208 East Jackson.
25-Moving, Trucking Storage
MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY-Dependable service under owner management responsibility. Storing, moving, packing and crating. Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.
32-Help Wanted-Female
WAITRESS WANTED - Day's. Pete's Pig Pen. Call in person.
GIRLS WANTED - Apply Dorn Cloney Dry Cleaning. White and colored.
WANTED WHITE - or colored woman to clean a small 4 room apartment, once or twice a week. Call 285 or 1186.
HOUSEKEEPER for elderly couple. Phone 3649. 315 West 5th.
YOUNG WHITE GIRL or middle aged. Work until 3 p. m. Good wages. Phone 2362.
HELP WANTED: Men and women to work in Egg Breaking department mornings, afternoons or evenings. Here is your opportunity to help on the home front. Good pay. Time and one-half for overtime. Apply in person. Swift and Company, Main and Grand.

WANTED!
Women to Work in Laundry colored or White. Day and Night Shifts. Call in person at Dorn-Cloney Laundry Company 210 East 3rd Street

33-Help Wanted-Male
PORTER and houseman. Apply Bothwell Hotel.
WANTED-Elevator boy. Days. Terry Hotel.
MACHINIST, good salary, working conditions, permanent. Apply in person. Brown's Machine Shop, 321 West 2nd.
FILLING STATION OPERATOR - Also man for general filling station work. Must be able to change tires and answer road calls. Apply in person. Brown's Automotive Clinic. 3rd and Osage
TWO OR THREE MEN between 38 to 50 for key positions with growing concern. Permanent connection. Steady work. Opportunity to earn good pay. Town and Country Shoe, 110 North Missouri.

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Good Working Conditions. Good Proposition for Right One Address Box 3-B Care Democrat.

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Apply Kraft and Co. 421 West Main Experience Not Necessary

Man Wanted MAN TO WORK NIGHTS
in mailing department of Newspaper. Must be able to drive pickup truck.
Draft Exempt Preferred.
See Paul R. Mines Sedalia Democrat and Capital

34-Help-Male and Female
BOYS AND GIRLS-wanted to work at Garst Drive In. Also janitor. Call 1715.
WANTED MAN or woman to operate store. No capital required. Salary and commission. See Mrs. Pfeiffer, 501 South Ohio.

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WANTED EXPERIENCED help. Waitress and kitchen. Kueck's, 625.
WANTED REGISTERED PHARMACIST - Favorable living conditions. Salary depends on ability. Town of 5,000. Economy Drug, Richmond, Missouri.
36-Situation Wanted-Female
WANTED DAY WORK, curtains and blankets laundered. Phone 1328 evenings.
37-Situations Wanted-Male
GARDENS PLOWED-Call 2720.
WILL PLOW GARDENS-Phone 2719. Chancey.

V-Financial
38-Business Opportunities
A REAL OPPORTUNITY at a sacrifice, owner drafted. Service garage and station, fully equipped, good location, doing a large volume of business. Can be leased at a very reasonable rental. Must have action at once. Write "A" care Democrat.
40-Money to Loan-Mortgages
CHOICE FARM LOANS 4%, no commission. See W. D. Smith.
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V-Financial

40-Money to Loan-Mortgages Continued
LOANS
\$25-\$50-\$100 or more \$600
Single or Married People
LOANS to pay taxes, pay past due bills and make cash purchases of all kinds are quickly arranged.
EMERGENCY LOANS are usually made in one day, phone us first - then come in for your money.
FARM LOANS are made under a special plan to fit farm needs of all kinds.
AUTO LOANS are made quickly - bring your car and certificate of title.
MAIL LOANS are available for those who live out of town. Write and let us know your needs. The entire transaction will be handled by mail. You do not have to come to the office at any time.
108 EAST 5TH STREET Phone: 108
Public Loan charges 3% per month on the unpaid balance of loans made of \$100 or less, above to \$500, 2 1/2% per month. Loans above \$500 and up to \$600 are made by an associated company, Public Finance Corporation, at 8% discount per annum (subject to refund upon prepayment in full, plus a fee of 2%.)

VII-Live Stock

47-Dogs, Cats, other Pets
COACH DOG PUPPIES. Phone 634.
WANTED A HOME - for my Shepherd dog. Phone 4398-W.
47-A-Rabbits For Sale-
EASTER BUNNIES - For sale. Lester Harrell, 819 East 10th.
GIVE LIVE-Bunny Easter. 50c up. Phone 1416. Free delivery.
48-Horses, Cattle other Stock
SHOATS 401 East Walnut. Also Rabbits.
SOW, 8 PIGS-15 shoats. 40 to 90 pounds. Phone 4070.
TWO FRESH Jersey Guernsey cows. Anderson, 659 East 10th.
HORSES AND MULES; yearling Shorthorn bull. Chancey, Phone 2719.
TWO FRESH - Guernsey. Two heavy springer cows. Phone 3188.
MARE, 1400 pounds. Gentle. John Deere gang plow. LaMonte 38-F-22.
CHOICE YOUNG JERSEY - heavy milker, with heifer calf. 1702 West Broadway.
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WE PAY - for dead animals, horses, cattle and hogs, if not skinned or decomposed. We pay telephone charges. Phone Sedalia. Phone 3033.
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49-Poultry and Supplies
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Use Wards Farm Income Plan.
WARDS FARM STORE

50-Wanted-Live Stock
WANTED COWS - to pasture. 1806 East 16th. Phone 1020.

VIII-Merchandise

51-Articles for Sale
CONCRETE MIXERS - \$31.50. Wards Farm Store.
OAK POSTS-write or call Harold Hill, Smithton.
ROAD AND CONCRETE gravel, Lawrence Keel. Phone 2197.
PORTABLE DOG PEN and dog house. 422 East 7th.
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40 GALLON WATER TANK-and heater, Man's new blue suit size 36. Phone 1076.
PORTABLE PARTITION - used wallboard, power cable and boxes, Call 2649.

VIII-Merchandise

51-Articles for Sale Continued
ELECTRIC WASHER-to trade for gasoline washer. Phone 3331 after Sunday.
4 1/2 EVENRUDE TWIN MOTOR, 15 foot boat, 6 passenger. C. E. Reed, 200 Ridge Street, Sweet Springs, Missouri. Phone 200.
STOVES, MACHINES, rugs, motors, chains, cans, tubs, trunks, paint, tools, lamps, cabinets, clocks, furniture, toasters, swings, irons, dishes. Store 1207 Ingram. Phone 3355.
GLASS HEADQUARTERS: Window glass, mirrors, glass shelves, glass for dressers, coffee tables, Show cases, store fronts. Dugans, Phone 142.
54-Business, Office Equipment
LARGE SIZE show case. 207 South Ohio. Phone 603.
55-Farm and Dairy Products
GOAT MILK-and goats. Phone 2355.
GOAT MILK and New Zealand rabbits. Phone 2338.
55-A-Farm Equipment
SULKY PLOW, 16 inch. Manure spreader, riding cultivator, 6 shovel. L. I. Patrick, Route 2, Sedalia, Mo.
56-Fuel, Feed Fertilizers
OAK WOOD - dry or green. Phone 1664 days.
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HAY FOR SALE-Lespedeza and Timothy mixed, \$12.00 per ton. One rick, about five ton. See N. A. Cook, Smithton, Missouri.
57-A-Fruits and Vegetables
WEAKLEY'S MARKET - Fresh fish. Fruits and vegetables. 117 West 2nd.
SEED POTATOES, onion plants, onion sets, peppers, apples, beans, cauliflower, vegetables, fruits of all varieties. Gordon Brothers.
59-Household Goods
HIGH OVEN-gas stove. Phone 2564.
ALL OAK - wardrobe for sale. Phone 1754-J.
DETROIT JEWEL - Gas stove, dining room suite. Phone 2473-W.
PIANO, gas stove, dining table, gasoline stove, clothes size 14. 16. 203 South Missouri.
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GENERAL ELECTRIC - cooker, complete with broiler. Gas stove, Summit and Lamine.
DINING ROOM-bed room furniture, rug, breakfast set. Two kitchen stoves. 523 West 6th.
62-Musical Merchandise
GOOD PIANO-Phone 3462-W.
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RECLEANED LESPEDEZA, rubber tired wagon. Milton Mathew, Windsor, Missouri.

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WANTED: Two wheel trailer. Phone 120.
WANTED SEWING MACHINE- Prefer Singer electric. Phone 1493-J.
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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



Eight Major Activities To Extend Aid

Committee Of Farm Bureau Has Them Arranged

The Home and Community Committee of the Pettis County Farm Bureau set their goals for 1944 to include eight major activities. Since there are eight mem- bers of the committee in addition to the chairman Mrs. B. C. Clay- comb and the Home Demonstra- tion Agent, Miss Bacon, each of the committee women has been assigned one part of the program.
The present emphasis is still being placed on contributions to the Russian and British Seed fund and China Relief which comes under war activities.
Their aim of the war activities phase is to do everything possible to further the war effort.
Mrs. J. A. DeJarnette is the committee member responsible for the activity. Mrs. DeJarnette has been a Farm Bureau member since Farm Bureau was organized in Pettis County and has served on the Home and Community committee at various times during those years. She lives four miles north of Sedalia on the old Long- wood road.

Urges Remembering Boys

Mrs. DeJarnette is urging all Pettis county people, especially the Farm Bureau families, to re- member all boys in service with cards, letters, and gifts; to pro- vide social good times for service men and women from the local air base or any service men and women visiting here; to invite ser- vice men and women into homes and churches; to encourage the use of the flag, the Pledge of Al- legiance and American Creed; to cooperate with organized patriotic groups; to help sponsor the Red Cross Club Mobile; and, as pre- viously mentioned, to supply seeds to Britain and Russia and give China relief.
A \$10 contribution for the Club Mobile has already been made by the Quisenberry Home Economics Extension Club.
"The Clubmobiles are driven to isolated spots where service men are on duty and are unable to get to the club centers in the larger cities. They also go to many air fields where they serve doughnuts and coffee to the returning bomb- ing crews. Officers have reported that this service to the men re- turning from bombing missions has been a great feature in help- ing the men relax after such an experience. Clubmobiles are now operating in Great Britain, Aus- tralia, North Africa, Italy, Sicily and India.
These vehicles are outfitted with a doughnut machine, a coffee urn, and in many instances a 16 mm. moving picture outfit, news- papers, magazines and in some a victrola with records and a small library, writing materials, etc. They are manned by three Amer- ican Red Cross girls and a local trained mechanic."

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Reorganize A 4-H Club

The Maplewood Community 4-

Activities on the Farm Front

Simple Ways In Which Eggs Are Preserved

Spring Bountiful Supply May Be Held For Fall

Four simple ways to preserve some of this spring's bountiful supply of eggs for home cooking next fall are suggested by H. L. Shrader, extension poultry specialist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. To families who live near a freezer locker plant, Mr. Shrader recommends freezing a supply of eggs for home use. Other families may preserve eggs at home to advantage if they live near enough to the source of supply to obtain eggs the day they are laid, and if they have a cool cellar or other cool place to store them.

Mineral oil or waterglass, both sold at drug stores, or "dry ice," sold at many ice cream plants, are three substances that may be used to preserve eggs at home. The oil and the waterglass preserve eggs by sealing the pores in the shells through which organisms enter. Waterglass seals so thoroughly that an egg preserved this way must have its shell pricked with a pin before boiling or it will explode in the hot water. Dry ice gives off carbon dioxide gas, a familiar preservative. Eggs sealed in a jar of this gas keep well for months. To be preserved successfully by any of these substances, however, eggs must be infertile, as most commercial eggs are, and as fresh as possible, preferably not over 24 hours old. They should also have clean, sound, strong shells. Eggs with soiled, cracked or even slightly checked shells will not keep.

May Dip In Oil

Dipping eggs in mineral oil is a simple, inexpensive way to preserve them for several months. Use the lightest grade mineral oil the drug store sells because heavy oil makes the shell greasy and collects dust. Warm the oil to thin it but have it no hotter than the had can stand with comfort. Eggs keep best if they are oiled the day they are laid, but they should not be oiled until they have been laid at least 4 hours. Put several eggs in a wire basket, dip the basket down into the oil, drain, then pack the oiled eggs in clean baskets, crates or cases in a cool cellar.

A very common household method of preserving eggs is to put them down in a solution of waterglass or sodium silicate, a clear liquid sold at drug stores. One quart of waterglass is enough to preserve 14 or 15 dozen eggs. Into a 5-gallon crock or galvanized can, thoroughly cleaned and scalded, pour 9 quarts of water which has been boiled and then cooled. Stir in the quart of waterglass. Place the eggs in this solution carefully so as not to crack shells. Keep the eggs in waterglass in a cool place and make sure the liquid covers the eggs at least an inch at all times. More eggs may be added from time to time, or more of the solution added as it evaporates. A cover over the top helps prevent evaporation.

A third and more unusual method of preserving eggs at home is to seal them in glass fruit jars filled with carbon dioxide gas. "Dry ice" gives off carbon dioxide as it melts, but must be used with care because it can cause burns or even explosions. Always handle dry ice with tongs or paper so that it does not come in contact with the skin. For preserving eggs with this material use 2-quart size glass fruit jars with rubber rings and screw tops. Adjust the rings on clean jars, then into each jar drop 2 pieces of dry ice about the size of walnuts. Put as many eggs in the jar as it will hold. When the ice stops fuming, and the jar is filled with white vapor, screw on the top tight and set away in a cool place. The gas does not leak out of the jar easily, so eggs keep well for a number of months. Once the jar is opened, however, the eggs are no longer surrounded by the preserving gas so they should be used within a few days.

Method of Freezing

Though home preserving by these methods provides a supply of cooking eggs for a later season, the eggs do gradually lose their very fresh quality over the months. Eggs preserved in a freezer locker keep their freshness much longer. For freezing, eggs are removed from the shell and put into clean baking powder cans or other tight tins or special vaporproof containers. Whites and yolks may be frozen separately if desired. Whites are ideal for freezing, but yolks must be beaten and have sweetener or salt added to keep them from becoming gummy when thawed. Add 1 tablespoon of corn syrup, honey or sugar syrup to 2 cups of egg yolks before freezing.

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Next Week in the Kitchen

Do You Get Enough Milk?

"Milk is one article of diet whose sole function in nature is to serve as food." It has proven itself as the best single bone and muscle builder of all foods and gives a fair amount of energy.

The cream in or on milk is especially good for energy and also is an excellent source of vitamin A which is needed for quick growth, healthy eyes, and a soft, moist, pliable mucous membrane in the body. If the cream is taken from the milk, there is left skim milk which is one of the best sources of calcium and phosphorus which are super bone builders. Skim milk also contains vitamins B and G also important for growth, good digestion and good nerves, a healthy skin, and good muscle tone.

So it is evident milk is not just something to drink but is really several foods within one. Each of these foods has its place in keeping us well and growing. Milk, whole grain bread or cereal, and tomatoes or cabbage really make a well balanced meal. The whole grain bread or cereal will add the energy and iron which the milk lacks, and the tomatoes or cabbage will add the vitamin C.

Milk fits well with most foods and generous amounts should be used in combination with other foods. However, it is highly desirable every child drink a glass of milk with each meal, and that grown-ups drink a glass at least one meal of the day.

Don't neglect to use 3 or 4 cups for each growing person and 2 to 3 cups for each adult each day.

Make the Most of Eggs

Now, when eggs are plentiful, the best possible use should be made of them. Eggs are a good source of protein which is needed by every cell of the body. Egg yolks are an excellent source of iron readily available for body use. All of the vitamins needed by the body, except C, are found in eggs. Appreciable amounts of fat, calcium, and phosphorus are also secured from eggs.

The one important point in the cooking of eggs is a low to moderate and even temperature. They may be cooked, baked, scrambled, fried or poached. They may be served at any meal and in a wide variety of ways. Eggs may appear in the main dish, in the salad, or in the dessert. They can be used to step up the food value of many foods.

Custard is a favorite egg dish. One variation of custard is to use broths in the place of all or a part of the milk in a custard and omit the sugar. This is good baked, served hot with cooked vegetables, or cold on salad greens.

To keep eggs at best quality they should be cooled quickly and stored where there is some moisture to prevent evaporation through the shell pores. Eggs, like milk, should be kept away from foods with strong odors.

Zest For Canned Vegetables

So, the family has tired of canned vegetables about this time of the year? Have you tried any of these various ways of serving canned foods?

Snap beans taste different if seasoned with a bit of mace or nutmeg or bacon fat, chopped onion, a small amount of vinegar and a pinch of mustard or celery seed. Try snap beans with canned tomatoes, carrots, cauliflower, lima beans, corn, onions, or celery. Canned beans are good baked with a bit of cheese and tomato sauce. For greens use hard cooked eggs, pushed through a strainer, and white sauce, cheese sauce, or tomato sauce. Melted butter, lemon juice and chopped parsley are delicious as a sauce for cooked carrots.

The liquids from canned vegetables may be drained off seasoned with onion, celery, salt, pepper and a little lemon and served very hot or very cold at the beginning of a meal or the juice may be used in soups or chowders.

Between Meal Snacks

School boys and girls are demanding between meal snacks with the coming of spring and more outside activities. Foods eaten between meals can help provide the basic food requirements as well as provide energy. If well chosen, these foods need not spoil children's appetites for the meal that follows.

Foods that will contribute essential nutrients to the body and help to satisfy hunger as well include sandwiches, fresh fruits and fruit juices, tomato juice, cocoa, milk, whole wheat crackers, cup cakes made with molasses and dried fruits, or cookies made with whole grain cereal, peanut butter, dried fruits, or nut meats.

For between meal sandwich suggestions try soybeans or baked beans with minced onion, pickle and salad dressing; chopped celery and green pepper; peanut butter with chopped cooked bacon; cottage cheese with apple butter; peanut butter with grated carrots; cheese and ground raisins; chopped egg and sweet relish; prune pulp mixed with chopped nuts and fruit juice; and sliced tomato and bacon.

Least desirable among between meal snacks are soft drinks and candy bars because they furnish little nutritive value aside from the sugar content. Coffee and

tea, although stimulating, have relatively little food value even when served with cream and sugar.

Safeguards In Home Canning

Because of war conditions, materials used in canning equipment are changed from time to time. It is important to follow very carefully the directions that come with jar lids. The type of material used in the lids makes a great deal of difference in how they are to be handled.

Approved canning time tables have been worked out as a result of research and it is well to follow them accurately. Under-processing may result in spoilage losses. Over-processing will produce an inferior product.

There is no safe short-cut in canning. Canning powders or be used in place of sterilization by chemical preservatives should not be used. Adding acid to low acid vegetables to shorten processing time is not recommended for the general use because of the great possibilities of canning with insufficient acid.

Whether canning just a few jars or hundreds of quarts, speed and cleanliness are of vital importance.

A young blue whale puts on weight at the average of 220 pounds a day.

Home And Community Service Aims

Purpose Is To Better Interests In Farm Life

This begins a series of articles telling of the personnel and activities of the Home and Community Committee of the Pettis County Farm Bureau.

The Pettis County Home and Community Committee is a part of the Home and Community Department of the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation which concerns itself especially with the social and educational interests of farm life. Mrs. B. C. Claycomb is the Pettis County Chairman and her committee members are Mrs. J. A. DeJarnett, Mrs. A. C. Runge, Mrs. Geo. Fichtel, Mrs. S. D. Ferguson, Mrs. S. W. McClure, Mrs. Tom Harvey, Mrs. J. W. Rissler, Mrs. P. S. Read and Dorothy Bacon.

Women have traditionally been active in these matters and usually are leaders in them, however, these women want to enlist the assistance of the whole farm family, men, boys and girls alike.

Among the purposes of the Home and Community Department are the following:

1. To emphasize the fact that the whole farm family is a part of the Farm Bureau.
2. To build community life that is socially satisfying.
3. To develop the highest type of American citizen.
4. To emphasize the spiritual values of farm life.
5. To interest women in the Farm Bureau program as a whole.
6. To carry on a specifically outlined Home and Community program.
7. To encourage women, young people and children to take special responsibility for those phases of the Farm Bureau program in which they are particularly interested or for which they have special aptitude.
8. To lend aid to those in need or distress.

Funds For Relief

It is this last point which is being stressed at present in the Pettis County effort to collect funds for China Relief and Russian and British Seeds. They are accepting contributions at the County Farm Bureau Office at present with the hope that Pettis County may help finance the 45 homes for China War Orphans under the direction of Madame Chiang Kai-Shek as well as seeds to Great Britain and Russia.

The cost of a year's medical care in these homes averages \$10 per child. The Pettis County women hope to be able to help at least one child.

In China's poverty stricken Northwest, a school under Madame Sun Yet-Sen's supervision has been established for refugee children. They are housed in clean, well ventilated caves where they are cared for and taught trades and skills for use in later life. \$50 there cares for a child for one year. Maternity hospitals have been established in similar caves. \$2 there will clothe a baby and \$1.50 will feed it for six months. Any individual or group desiring to help in this worthwhile effort may contact any of the committee members or the Farm Bureau office at 5th and Lamine.

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Profit In Eggs Despite The Prices Now

Problem Hinges On Way Pullets Are Raised

Egg prices apparently have reached a seasonal low point. The question of profits under existing conditions is a matter of individual flock production and management according to County Agent Morris. Possibilities for profit are as good or better than those that exist for other classes of livestock. The whole problem of profits now and in the winter months just past hinges on the way pullets were raised last year and their quality at housing time.

Feed prices are higher and egg prices lower than a year ago, but the relationship between feed costs and selling prices is still favorable for flocks that are laying at a rate of 50 per cent production. Profit possibilities now are not high enough to make up for losses experienced if fall and winter egg production was low and mortality in the laying house was high. It's no particular accomplishment to get high egg production during the spring months. At no time have price relationships been favorable enough to yield a yearly profit and raise pullets for replacement purposes if high egg production was obtained only during the spring months of lowest prices.

Egg income during the last six months of the calendar year determine poultry profits. Prices are likely to be more favorable and at or near ceiling levels during this period. Consequently, Pettis county poultry raisers can make a satisfactory poultry profit now and next fall if a few essential practices are carefully followed.

Need For Close Culling

Close culling of the present laying flock now and at intervals of two to four weeks until September first or 15th is absolutely necessary. Once a hen becomes a boarder, she never again becomes profitable.

Good quality chicks, of known production breeding, preferably sired by pedigree R. O. P. males should be brooded at the earliest possible date in order to get early fall and winter production.

Adult bird or laying house mortality must be reduced, and pullet rearing costs lowered by a practical sanitation program aimed at preventing chick and pullet losses that no amount of curative labor and expenses can forestall.

Clean range, green feed, and pasture, for the young stock, are the really sound answers to the sanitation problem. A summer range shelter makes such a program a practical possibility.

Over-use of equipment must be avoided. Fewer chicks, broods of 250-300, plenty of feeding and watering space will result in more good pullets and broilers, and lower costs. Attempts to get along with less equipment are always costly and cause later losses for six to twelve months.

More detailed information and feeder and range shelter plans are available at the County Extension Office.

Hot Lunch In Small School

The fact that hot school lunch programs can be carried in one-room rural schools is illustrated through the following report from Lookout school in the northeast part of Pettis County. Mrs. Loren Arnett, president of their P. T. A. writes, "I'm happy to say we have been able to carry on just fine with our hot lunches."

Our PTA sponsored the program. We are getting government aid too under the War Food Administration. The aid has ranged from \$18.00 to \$25.00 a month. Very often we haven't claimed as much as we could have received on our 17 enrolled pupils.

Our school board has paid the cook, Mrs. Joe Shaw, who lives near the school house. The children are charged 15 cents a week which is a very small amount considering the expense if parents would have to send their lunches. Any unable to pay are fed just the same and are not embarrassed in any way.

The equipment used in the kitchen has been purchased by the P. T. A. and school board; the board buying the stove and cabinet. All the cooking utensils, plates, cups, silverware, and bowls were bought by the P. T. A. and are added as needed every year.

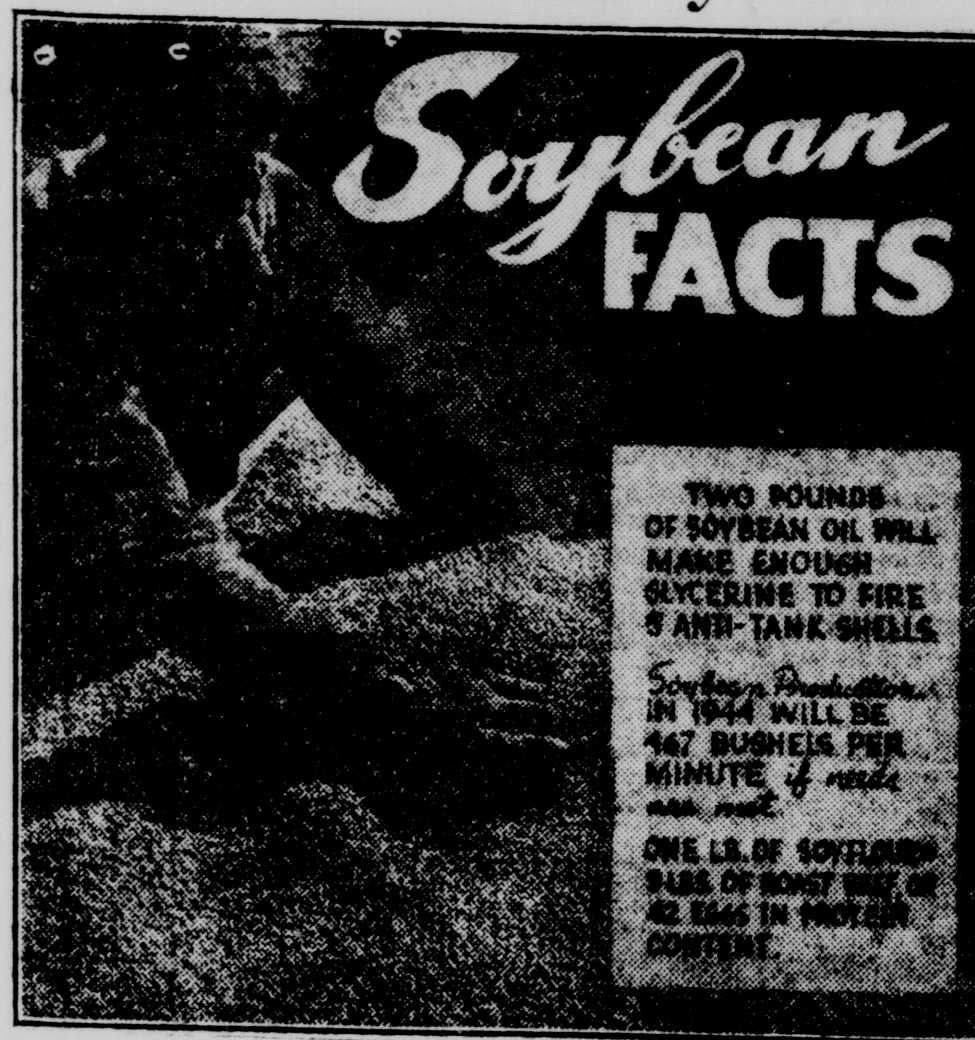
The groceries and supplies were brought to the school by the P. T. A. secretary, Mrs. R. P. Wood, who served the first of the year, and Mrs. Mary Roberts who is serving the remainder of the year.

Stamps Issued

The ration board has always issued stamps for all the canned goods, meats, and sugar we have needed for our lunches.

Our Extension Club which includes women who have children in school and those who do not have but have a very deep interest in the lunch program canned soup and corn for the school.

Valuable Contribution To War Effort From Soybeans



C. E. Ferguson, chairman, Pettis county AAA committee, has assembled some soybean facts, set forth below, which point to the valuable contribution toward the war effort which can be made by farmers of this county who have land and facilities suitable for production of soybeans. Ferguson states that the Pettis county production goals include 2,000 harvested acres of soybeans and that for farms in the nation, as a whole, the goal calls for harvest of 13,654,000 acres, 26 percent more than 1943, which would cover a strip 7 miles wide reaching from New York to San Francisco. Here are some of the reasons why soybeans are of such importance at present:

The Japs cut us off from many of our pre-war sources of supply for vegetable oils.

Most of the requirements for fats and oils for our own people will continue to come from livestock. But oil crops are the most efficient source for extra fat and protein needed to feed our larger army and a growing number of liberated peoples. Only by looking to oil crops for the extra production can we get enough—in time. 100 bushels of soybeans will make enough cooking oil to last a company of soldiers six months.

Require More Fats and Oils

The reopening and rehabilitation of Europe is expected to require an additional 3.5 to 4 billion pounds of fats and oils during the first year after Germany surrenders. This estimate would provide only a bare minimum diet

for those underfed men, women, and children. But it would help them get back to producing for themselves.

The 1944 soybean goal is needed to supply an extra 300 million pounds of soybean oil, a relatively small but extremely urgent part of the increased needs for fats and oils.

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While the use of soybean oil by industry has been prohibited except for military orders, soybean oil and meal is used in making soap, glycerine (for explosives), plastics (helmets, pistol grips), glue (for plywood), paints, varnish, linoleum, medicines, printing ink. It takes 400 bushels of soybeans to produce the amount of nitroglycerine that goes into a medium bomb. 80 bushels of soybeans will make enough paint to cover a destroyer. The Navy's PT boats are made of plywood cemented together with soybean glue.

A bushel of soybeans yields on the average, 9 pounds of oil. Less than 10 percent of the oil crushed from the O. S. Soybean crop in 1943 will be put into uses other than food.

An hour of labor devoted to soybeans used directly as food will produce on the average eight times as much food energy as an hour spent on hogs.

Lookout has served lunches may help other schools to start planning to do likewise.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

Miss Dorothy Bacon, Home Demonstration Agent, demonstrated canning corn at our Extension Club in September. This was given for school lunches too.

We are very grateful for the help of Mr. Elmer Curtiss who furnished land for potatoes planted last spring. We netted 8 bushels which until this month has furnished potatoes for the school lunches.

The seed was purchased by the P. T. A. and the larger boys in the school with their teacher the late Mr. T. L. Fairfax planted the potatoes after Mr. Curtiss prepared the ground. They were taken care of throughout the summer by the Curtiss family and dug by the Curtiss and Hoke families.

So far we have made no plans for doing gardening this year, but we hope to do so soon.

Milk is served to the children every day at our school. The government allows 2c a half pint for each child a day, which amounts to 32c a gallon. Mr. Arnett has furnished the milk most of the time at 30c a gallon. That money is given to our 7 year old son to carry the milk to school.

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Roosevelt In A Unity Move

Attempt To Heal Breach In Purge Of Six Years Ago

By Jack Bell
Head of the Associated Press
Senate Staff

WASHINGTON, April 10—(P)—President Roosevelt personally has taken a hand in efforts to unite the Democratic party in this year's political campaign by writing Senator Guy M. Gillette (D-Iowa), a target of the unsuccessful 1938 purge, congratulating the Iowan on his decision to seek reelection to the senate.

While Democratic National committee leaders this year have made every effort to heal the wounds caused by the President's opposition six years ago to party members who did not go along with him, this apparently was the first instance in which Mr. Roosevelt himself has taken the initiative in the movement.

Gillette declined to affirm or deny receipt of the letter, but

some of his colleagues described the missive as a cordial note addressed to "Dear Guy." In it, the President congratulated Gillette on the latter's reluctant decision to be a candidate again, expressing the conviction that not only Iowa but the nation needs men of Gillette's caliber in the senate.

Build Up On Defenses

This expression of sentiment, so far at variance with the administration's 1938 attitude, caused immediate speculation that Mr. Roosevelt was getting his defenses in order in the vital Middle Western political battleground for a fourth term try. However, some politicians who contend the President has not decided his future course the action being merely a party harmony move.

Gillette, who publicly has opposed a fourth term and has designated Secretary of State Hull as his first choice for the nomination, said recently he expected to be named as an Iowa delegate to the national convention. He forecast that the Iowa group would be instructed for the President at a state convention April 15 and said he would abide by such instructions, later supporting whoever might be the party's nominee.

The senator agreed only a few weeks ago to stand for reelection after Democratic leaders insisted that his name must be on the ticket if they were to have any hope of carrying Iowa. He previously had said he intended to retire when his present term expires in January.

The President's endorsement of the Iowan's candidacy was in line with steps that have been taken by Chairman Robert E. Hannegan to provide national committee assistance for several senators who were marked for defeat in 1938 but who survived the purge. Among those who have been critical of some Roosevelt policies but now reportedly are receiving national committee aid are Senators Tydings (D-MD), Clark (D-Mo.), Clark (D-Idaho) and McCarran (D-Nev.).

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Smithton

Mrs. R. R. Lujin

Sgt. Cecil Smith, formerly stationed at Aberdeen, Md., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, the past week during a three-day stopover while en route to Camp Hale, Colo., where he will be stationed.

E. W. Goetz attended the Republican congressional meeting at Humansville Saturday. Mrs. Jack Kellerman, the other delegate, was unable to attend because of illness.

Gene Bremer, who went to Kansas City to seek employment, has accepted a position with Pratt-Whitney. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bremer, and daughter, Miss Lois Bremer, and Mrs. Hal

MUSICIAN

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1,5 Pictured pianist	1 Jelly
10 Electrical engineer (abbr.)	2 Individual
12 Afresh	3 Peasant
13 Flower	4 Pitcher
14 Transported	5 Anger
16 Simple	6 Playthings
17 Organs of sight	7 Employs
18 Continent	8 Things
19 Brother	9 Persia
21 Steamship (abbr.)	10 Upon (prefix)
22 Writing fluid	11 Greek letter
23 Railroad (abbr.)	15 Inquire
25 Registered nurse (abbr.)	20 Part of circle
26 Each (abbr.)	22 Incorporated (abbr.)
28 He also an orchestra (pl.)	24 International language
33 Dawn (comb. form)	25 Ruthenium (symbol)
34 Pelts	
35 Spire	
39 Pedal digit	
40 Half an em	
41 Near	
42 Rupees (abbr.)	
43 Males	
45 Paid notice	
47 Affirmative	
50 Harvest	
52 Operatic solo	
54 Facts	
57 Against	
58 Bottle	
59 Russian name	
60 Paid (abbr.)	
61 Trib	
62 Canvas shelter	



Answer to Previous Puzzle

1. Division
2. Soldier
3. Target
4. Fault
5. Army
6. Rifle
7. Bullet
8. Shot
9. Cannon
10. Machine
11. Gun
12. Bomb
13. Shell
14. Grenade
15. Mine
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Ill. where he graduated from radio school.

John Glenn, son of Mrs. Bertha Glenn of Ottumwa, stationed somewhere in Italy, has recently been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant. He is a motor mechanic.

KEESLER FIELD, Biloxi, Miss.—Pvt. Clark Edward Romig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Romig, R. F. D. No. 3, Sedalia, Mo., has reported at this unit of the Army Air Forces Training Command to begin a phase of processing designed to determine his qualifications as a pre-aviation cadet.

Miss Virginia Glenn, 1111 South Lamine avenue, has received word that Sgt. Bruce C. Walthall, who for several months was stationed at the Sedalia Army Air Field, has arrived safely in England. His home is in Richmond, Va.

Charles Weller, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Weller, 916 West Tenth street, who is in the U. S. Army stationed in England has been promoted to a corporal. Cpl. Weller has been in England since June 1943.

Mrs. M. C. Griffith, 3200 South Grand avenue, has received word from her husband, Private Murrell C. Griffith, of his safe arrival in England. He entered the service on March 5, 1943.

SAN ANTONIO AVIATION CADET CENTER, Texas—At the San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center 127 cadets from Missouri are receiving pre-flight training to prepare them for aerial instruction as pilots, bombardiers and navigators.

During ten weeks of intensive training the cadets study mathe-

matics, physics, naval and aircraft identification and other subjects as well as undergoing physical and military training. Upon completion of the courses the cadets will progress to advanced training schools.

Present classes include 2 from Sedalia: Dale S. Waite, 19, 122 East Seventh street, bombardier, and Keith E. Kreissler, 18, 210 East Sixth street, pilot.

GREAT LAKES, Ill.—Among those graduating from an intensive course of Machinist's Mate training at recent Service School exercises here was Russell Earl Darling, 18, son of Mrs. Russell Earl Darling, 1825 South Grand avenue, Sedalia, Mo.

This Bluejacket was selected for his specialized training on the basis of his recruit training aptitude test scores. Graduates from the twenty specialized courses taught here at the Service School are sent to sea, to shore stations, or to advanced schools, for active duty or further training.

COMMUNITY NEWS from— Hughesville

Mrs. Harold Conway
Eual McCarty, who was recently home on furlough from his base in Puerto Rico, has been transferred to Cuba.

Mrs. Leland Bealert has returned from a visit in Kansas City with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Clarence Thomason, who has been in Texas the past year with her husband who has been stationed there as a member of a medical corps, has returned and is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Powell.

Mrs. Donald Thornton and son,

David, of Flint, Mich., and mother, Mrs. Hunt, of southwest Missouri, who have been visiting Mrs. George Thornton and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wiley, left recently for their homes.

Ed Callis spent a day in Kansas City recently.

The name Patricia Sue has been given the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Grimes.

Wilson Sterling, who has been stationed in Florida the past several months, has been transferred to North Carolina. Mrs. Sterling and children, Donnie and Patricia, will join Mr. Sterling as soon as living quarters are found.

Mrs. John McClure of Marshall, former resident of this vicinity who is president of the Marshall-Sedalia district of the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service, was elected president of the society in the state of Missouri at the state meeting held at Joplin. Mrs. McClure was presented

a life membership by the 56 societies of the Marshall-Sedalia district.

John McClure, Jr., has been elected county agent in a southern county of the state.

A picture of Clayton Callis, one of the three new physics instructors employed as full time instructors in the physics department of Central college as assistants to Prof. L. G. Abernathy, appeared in the March issue of the Central college bulletin. The college has the Navy V-12 program.

Mrs. Robert Bealert has received an Easter greeting from her nephew Jack Greer, who is stationed in England.

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Blue Stamps A8 through K8 good indefinitely.

No additional blue stamps become valid until May 1.

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Stamp No. 30 in Book Four good for 5 pounds indefinitely.

Stamp No. 31 in Book Four good April 1 for 5 pounds indefinitely.

Stamp No. 40 in Book Four good for 5 pounds for home canning and preserving of fruit through February 28, 1945.

Shoes

No. 18 in Book One becomes invalid on April 30.

Stamp No. 1 on Airplane page of Book 3 is good for one pair indefinitely.

(No merchant can legally accept loose shoe stamps coupons).

Gasoline

Coupon No. 11 in "A" sheets good for 3 gallons through June 21 if endorsed with license number and state of registration.

B2, B3 and C2 and C3 coupons good for 5 gallons each.

Fuel Oil

Period 4 coupons good February 8 through September 30 for 10 gallons per unit.

Period 5 coupons good February 8 through September 30 for 10 gallons per unit.

In The Service

Sgt. Clarence O. Steele, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steele of 1009 South Massachusetts avenue, has arrived safely in England according to word received by his parents.

Sgt. Steele is a high speed radio operator in the air corps and left Sedalia with the national guard in 1940. He enlisted in the air corps in 1943 and attended college at College Station, Tex., and from there went to Scott Field,